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Fletcher said he ran to the scene of the wreckage, and saw "many negro soldiers lying about injured." He said he did not see any dead.

Threat Of Big Steel Strike In May Grows

PITSBURGH, April 9 (AP)—Apprehension over a possible strike in the steel industry grew today and the gloom was generated by reports that United States Steel's contract talks with the CIO-United Steel Workers had deteriorated.

Union and management negotiators have been talking terms under a generous contract extension which prolonged a strike deadline from last February 15 until midnight April 30. But, sources close to the negotiators insist, the conference principals are no nearer an agreement now than they were when the discussions began.

Denmark's King Reported Fighting For His Life

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, April 9—(AP)—King Christian X was reported fighting for his life tonight, after a severe heart attack Sunday.

An official bulletin issued from Amalienborg Castle this morning said that the 76-year-old King's "strength is fairly satisfactory," but a physician who examined him this afternoon said he was "still very weak," and that he had a fever.

Part Of Texas And Oklahoma Hit By Twister

At Least 30 Dead; Buildings Wrecked

AMARILLO, Tex., April 9 (AP) — Ambulance drivers and rescue workers reported tonight that a tornado which swept the northeastern corner of the Texas Panhandle killed an estimated 20 persons at Higgins and fired the business district of the town of 750 persons.

The storm wiped out wire communication with Higgins. A downpour of rain prevented observation from nearby towns.

10 Dead At Canadian, Tex.

CANADIAN, Tex., April 9 (AP)—At least 10 persons were killed and 19 injured tonight in a tornado which ripped across four Texas Panhandle counties. All of the known deaths occurred at Glazier, a community of about 200 persons northeast of here.

Ten bodies were brought from Glazier to the Stickley Funeral Home here. They were stripped of their clothing by the twisting wind and battered by flying debris. They were not immediately identified.

Sixteen injured were brought from Glazier to the Canadian hospital. Five ambulances were running in relays to Glazier, 10 miles northeast of here in Hemphill County.

Telephone lines to Higgins, northeast of Glazier, were knocked out by the storm. Wire connections to Woodward, Okla., were disrupted.

Pickup trucks, wheat trucks and automobiles were pressed into service to bring the injured to the hospital here. The hospital has a capacity of only 10 beds and supervisors said the storm victims were placed in halls, consultation rooms and any other available space. Attendants said some were seriously hurt, some only lightly.

Three persons were hurt at White Deer, Carson County, where the storm struck first. Several houses were flattened at White Deer and 21 freight cars blown from their tracks. A housewife and two trainmen were injured there.

The twister proceeded northeastward, following the route of the Santa Fe Railroad. It was sighted at Pampa, Gray County, and crossed a farm area near Miami, Roberts County.

Hailstones as large as golf balls were reported accompanying the storm at both Glazier and White Deer.

Twister Strikes Oklahoma

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 9 (AP)—The Oklahoma State Highway Patrol said tonight that Trooper Jim Holland, stationed at Woodward, Okla., advised that a tornado struck northwest of Oklahoma City about 9:30 p. m., leveling approximately half the town.

Holland gave no details but asked the state patrol to send all available troopers and medical aid to the storm scene, patrol headquarters here said.

The highway patrol said the storm hit the northern section of the town, a residential area, leveling homes in approximately one-half the town.

The one hospital at Woodward, a town of 5,426 residents, and one at Mooreland, 11 miles east, were filled with injured persons although no estimate of the number hurt had been made, the patrol said.

Channing Duffey, of the Woodward Daily Press, said the storm also damaged the downtown business district of Woodward. He added that there were numerous cars and people on the town's main street at the time the storm hit.

Communications into Woodward were completely disrupted and Duffey telephoned his information to Oklahoma City from nearby Seiling.

TRIBUTE TO FORD—The small and the great, the young and the old, paid final tribute yesterday to Henry Ford, the famed industrialist who died Monday night. Above, old employes of the Ford Motor Company, dressed for work, pass the bier of their boss. Public funeral services will be held today and Ford plants will be stilled throughout the nation and world.

Hopes Raised For Complete Accord Soon

Policy Committee Must Pass On Plan

WASHINGTON, April 9 (AP) — Long distance workers and the American Telephone and Telegraph Company agreed tonight on a basis for settlement of their part of the nationwide strike, offering new hope for a general agreement soon.

The basic agreement still must be submitted to the policy committee of the National Federation of Telephone Workers, which is directing the strike of those and other telephone workers over the nation.

The tentative settlement was announced at 11:30 p. m. EST tonight.

President John J. Moran, of the American Union of Telephone Workers, long lines affiliate of the national federation, emphasized that the overall policy committee still must pass on the proposals. He described the plan as the final offer of the A. T. and T. in 10 days of solid negotiations under government auspices here.

The announcement renewed general settlement hopes that had been dashed earlier in the night by the collapse of negotiations between the NFTW and the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, biggest A. T. and T. affiliate, which also had been moved here.

The long distance agreement was praised by Conciliation Director Edgar L. Warren, who expressed the hope that the "steady and tedious progress made in that phase of the negotiations will carry over into the many other bargaining sessions going on all over the country."

Committee Meeting Slated

The NFTW, whose more than 300,000 members across the nation have been on strike since Monday morning, has scheduled a meeting of its policy committee at 11 a. m. tomorrow.

Following is the statement of AUTW President Moran:

"The American Union of Telephone Workers and the American Telephone and Telegraph Company have made substantial progress in the last two days and all of the 81 items of a local nature have been agreed upon. We believe that as a result of our talks on the 10 national items, we fully understand each other's position.

"The union now will submit the company's proposals to the union's general executive board in New York and later to the policy committee of the National Federation of Telephone Workers for considerations.

"It should be understood that the union has been bargaining only for its members who are employed by the long lines department of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and that the company's proposals apply to members of this union only.

"We have not been attempting to establish a national pattern for the industry and have no idea as to whether or not the proposals submitted to this union will be offered to other telephone unions.

"This union's members will not return to work until a settlement has been reached between all striking telephone unions in the National Federation of Telephone Workers and their respective companies."

Officials Encouraged

Despite Moran's emphasis on the idea that the agreement applies only on long lines, government officials took encouragement from the fact that a long lines settlement laid the groundwork for heading off a threatened strike last year.

Warren, however, was reserved in his official comment.

"Tonight's work ends one phase of this job," he said in a statement.

"We appreciate that this is not the last step in the settlement of this strike but it is a long step forward."

U. N. Council Directs Albanian Case To International Court

Britain's Proposal Is Adopted; Reds Abstain

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., April 9 (AP)—The United Nations Security Council decided today, with Russia and Poland abstaining, that the British-Albanian minefield dispute should be judged by the International Court of Justice.

It was the first case directed to the court by the council since the contemporary Hague tribunal was organized under the United Nations Charter.

Albania opposed the British proposal in a short statement to the council but some delegates held that since Albania agreed to accept the council's decision the Soviet satellite was obliged to go to court.

Albania is not a United Nations member but may go before the court by agreeing to abide by its decision.

Eight delegates formally approved Britain's proposal to lay the dispute before the 15 justices at The Hague. Britain, as a party to the dispute, was not permitted to vote.

Gromyko Withholds Veto

Andrei A. Gromyko, Soviet delegate who on March 25 vetoed a majority-approved British resolution censuring Albania in the Corfu case, made it clear that he did not like the British resolution.

However, he withheld Russia's veto after a short verbal battle with Australia's Col. W. R. Hodgson over the veto.

Hodgson supported the British proposal and said the veto by Gromyko had "prevented the will of the majority of the council from becoming effectlve and so stultified the work of the council."

Gromyko snapped back that Hodgson was suffering "from an illness which I might describe as vetophobia."

He said Russia felt there was no basis for bringing Albania before the court.

Dr. Quo Tai-Chi, of China, council chairman, expressed belief that Albania's acceptance of the obligation to abide by council decision meant she was obliged to comply with the rulings of both the council and the court.

Arms Plan Ordered

Earlier in the day the United Nations Commission for Conventional Armaments ordered the five great powers to get together on a plan for tackling the problem of reducing the world's arms and forces.

The arms decision split the Big Five three ways.

The commission decided by nine votes out of 11 to establish a subcommittee to frame a work plan for submission to the United Nations Security Council. Britain wanted a committee of the whole commission, then abstained from the vote along with Belgium.

The commission finally decided by a bare six-vote majority that the subcommittee should be limited to the fire great powers—China, Britain, France, Russia and the United States.

House GOP High Command Okays New Labor Bill

Scheduled For Vote By End Of Next Week

WASHINGTON, April 9—(AP)—A new labor bill clamping sweeping curbs on unions won the approval of House Republican leaders today and was booked for a House vote by the end of next week.

It still has to get a formal okay from the Labor Committee. Some details will be changed in the process.

But it is scheduled now to reach the floor in a form that would tighten the rules on strikes in general and deprive unions of the right to:

Pull eight specific kinds of strikes, to obtain the closed shop, and to bargain with an entire industry for better pay or working conditions.

Chairman Hartley (R-NH) and other Republicans on the Labor Committee laid the bill before GOP leaders and the policy-forming party steering committee today. They went over it most of the morning and afternoon.

As a result, changes will be written in to remove an absolute ban on the union shop and to provide what Hartley said is in reality a cooling off period during attempts to avoid strikes affecting the national safety, health or welfare.

The union shop allows a firm to hire anyone it wishes, but the new employe must join the union soon afterward.

Under the change agreed upon in the strategy huddles, a labor-management contract can include a union shop provision if both parties want it. But there can be no strike to obtain it, and a majority of the members in a collective bargaining unit must vote that they want it.

Newsprint Relief Plan

WASHINGTON, April 9—(AP)—Sen. Capehart (R-Ind.) today introduced a bill to set up a newsprint relief system for publishers facing shortages.

The proposed voluntary plan would be operative for a year under direction of a nine-man committee.

Molotov Blocks German-Polish Border Proposal

Commission To Fix Boundary Suggested

MOSCOW, April 9—(AP)—Britain and the United States proposed tonight that an international commission be created to work out details of a compromise German-Polish border which would allow Poland to retain control of industrial Silesia but return to Germany some agricultural lands now occupied by the Poles.

The proposal, made in the four-power Council of Foreign Ministers, was immediately blocked by V. M. Molotov, of Russia. He argued that Poland should retain all of the 40,000 square miles of Eastern German territory—including Silesia and the farm lands—which were placed under her administration at Potsdam.

Foreign Minister Georges Bidault, of France, agreed that the boundary question should be studied further, but did not say whether he favored or opposed the present frontier.

United States Secretary of State George Marshall and British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin both quoted hitherto unpublished speeches by Prime Minister Stalin at Potsdam, to back up their arguments that the present Polish frontier was not then considered final.

Molotov, in turn, quoted from a radio speech by President Truman which, the Russian said, showed that Mr. Truman considered the nently at Potsdam.

Under the Potsdam agreement, Poland was given control of German lands east of the Oder and Neisse Rivers.

Since the war, Molotov said, Poland has deported more than 5,000,000 Germans from the disputed lands and sent an approximately equal number of Poles into the territory as settlers.

Marshall proposed specifically that Southeastern Prussia should remain Polish territory and that German Upper Silesia should remain under Polish control, but that its coal and resources should "be available to sustain the economy of Europe."

The remaining territory, Marshall said, should be considered on the basis of the needs of the Poles, the Germans and Europe as a whole.

"Fast" Time For Hub City

HAGERSTOWN, Md., April 9—(AP)—The Mayor and Council voted today to put Hagerstown on daylight saving time effective Sunday morning, April 27.

Sinatra Is Released On Bail After Fracas

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif., April 9 (AP) — Crooner Frank Sinatra surrendered in Beverly Hills Justice Court today on a misdemeanor warrant charging battery, outgrowth of a fracas last night at Ciro's Restaurant.

He was taken immediately before Justice Bert Woodard, who had signed the warrant on complaint of Lee Mortimer, movie columnist for the New York Daily Mirror.

Sinatra pleaded innocent and demanded a jury trial, which the judge set for May 28 at 10 a. m. The crooner was released on $500 bail.

Earlier Dr. Lloyd P. Tainter, of West Hollywood Emergency Hospital, diagnosed Mortimer's injuries as a swollen left cheek, swelling behind the left ear and bruises of the right wrist.

The New York Daily Mirror columnist has been here for five days, on one of his periodic trips to the movie capital. Known, like Sinatra, as a little fellow who dislikes to be shoved around, Mortimer is just about a match for the crooner. They both are about five feet, eight inches tall; tip the scales at 140 or a little less.

Said Mortimer, who acknowledges that he has criticized Frankie more than once in his column: "I was leaving Ciro's with Miss Kay Kino, a band singer, when Sinatra and three men jumped me. The first thing I knew, I was on the floor and the next thing I knew was when I saw a face that looked like Sinatra's above me."

The crooner's attorney, Albert Pearlson, said Frankie was called "a nasty name" by Mortimer, and:

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NEW ORLEANS, April 9 (AP) — William G. Fuller, held here under $10,000 bond in connection with the alleged kidnaping of Mary Ann Kubon, said tonight the five-year-old child is "like my own daughter" and that "I don't have the guts for kidnaping."

Interviewed in the parish prison, Fuller protested that no harm was meant to Mary Ann "because I love her so much."

"Is that why you took her away?" he was asked.

"Well, I didn't see anything wrong under the circumstances," Fuller replied. He added that he had never attempted to conceal the identity of himself or the child. He said he had used his own name in his travels.

The former convict was charged in Chicago with kidnaping Mary Ann on June 29, 1945 and since has been sought throughout the country by the FBI on charges of unlawful flight to avoid prosecution.

C. E. Weeks, FBI agent here, said Fuller was apprehended on a highway near here last night as he attempted to hitchhike a ride to New York. He was accompanied by his wife and the little girl.

The child, daughter of Mrs. Myrtle Kubon, 27, was taken from a foster home in Chicago.

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"People in Europe are watching these two great giants, America and Russia, getting ready for a death struggle," the former United States Vice President told a news conference of more than 200 correspondents.

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SAN ANTONIO, Tex., April 9—(AP)—No one was believed killed when an army C-47 transport, carrying 21 passengers, crash-landed near Kelly Field tonight.

Negro baseball players in the plane, were en route to Davis Monthon Field at Tucson, Ariz. at the time of the crash. Maj. Robert Loomis, operations officer at Kelly Field, said as far as he knew, no one was killed in the crash. The number of injured was not revealed.

Donald Fletcher, a Kelly Field worker, said he heard the twin-engined craft flying low over his home near the field about 10 p. m. (EST) tonight, and a few seconds later saw the plane crash, bursting into flames.

Fletcher said he ran to the scene of the wreckage, and saw "many negro soldiers lying about injured." He said he did not see any dead.

Threat Of Big Steel Strike In May Grows

PITSBURGH, April 9 (AP)—Apprehension over a possible strike in the steel industry grew today and the gloom was generated by reports that United States Steel's contract talks with the CIO-United Steel Workers had deteriorated.

Union and management negotiators have been talking terms under a generous contract extension which prolonged a strike deadline from last February 15 until midnight April 30. But, sources close to the negotiators insist, the conference principals are no nearer an agreement now than they were when the discussions began.

Denmark's King Reported Fighting For His Life

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, April 9—(AP)—King Christian X was reported fighting for his life tonight, after a severe heart attack Sunday.

An official bulletin issued from Amalienborg Castle this morning said that the 76-year-old King's "strength is fairly satisfactory," but a physician who examined him this afternoon said he was "still very weak," and that he had a fever.

Part Of Texas And Oklahoma Hit By Twister

At Least 30 Dead; Buildings Wrecked

AMARILLO, Tex., April 9 (AP) — Ambulance drivers and rescue workers reported tonight that a tornado which swept the northeastern corner of the Texas Panhandle killed an estimated 20 persons at Higgins and fired the business district of the town of 750 persons.

The storm wiped out wire communication with Higgins. A downpour of rain prevented observation from nearby towns.

10 Dead At Canadian, Tex.

CANADIAN, Tex., April 9 (AP)—At least 10 persons were killed and 19 injured tonight in a tornado which ripped across four Texas Panhandle counties. All of the known deaths occurred at Glazier, a community of about 200 persons northeast of here.

Ten bodies were brought from Glazier to the Stickley Funeral Home here. They were stripped of their clothing by the twisting wind and battered by flying debris. They were not immediately identified.

Sixteen injured were brought from Glazier to the Canadian hospital. Five ambulances were running in relays to Glazier, 10 miles northeast of here in Hemphill County.

Telephone lines to Higgins, northeast of Glazier, were knocked out by the storm. Wire connections to Woodward, Okla., were disrupted.

Pickup trucks, wheat trucks and automobiles were pressed into service to bring the injured to the hospital here. The hospital has a capacity of only 10 beds and supervisors said the storm victims were placed in halls, consultation rooms and any other available space. Attendants said some were seriously hurt, some only lightly.

Three persons were hurt at White Deer, Carson County, where the storm struck first. Several houses were flattened at White Deer and 21 freight cars blown from their tracks. A housewife and two trainmen were injured there.

The twister proceeded northeastward, following the route of the Santa Fe Railroad. It was sighted at Pampa, Gray County, and crossed a farm area near Miami, Roberts County.

Hailstones as large as golf balls were reported accompanying the storm at both Glazier and White Deer.

Twister Strikes Oklahoma

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 9 (AP)—The Oklahoma State Highway Patrol said tonight that Trooper Jim Holland, stationed at Woodward, Okla., advised that a tornado struck northwest of Oklahoma City about 9:30 p. m., leveling approximately half the town.

Holland gave no details but asked the state patrol to send all available troopers and medical aid to the storm scene, patrol headquarters here said.

The highway patrol said the storm hit the northern section of the town, a residential area, leveling homes in approximately one-half the town.

The one hospital at Woodward, a town of 5,426 residents, and one at Mooreland, 11 miles east, were filled with injured persons although no estimate of the number hurt had been made, the patrol said.

Channing Duffey, of the Woodward Daily Press, said the storm also damaged the downtown business district of Woodward. He added that there were numerous cars and people on the town's main street at the time the storm hit.

Communications into Woodward were completely disrupted and Duffey telephoned his information to Oklahoma City from nearby Selling.

TRIBUTE TO FORD—The small and the great, the young and the old, paid final tribute yesterday to Henry Ford, the famed industrialist who died Monday night. Above, old employes of the Ford Motor Company, dressed for work, pass the bier of their boss. Public funeral services will be held today and Ford plants will be stilled throughout the nation and world.

U. N. Council Directs Albanian Case To International Court

Britain's Proposal Is Adopted; Reds Abstain

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., April 9 (AP)—The United Nations Security Council decided today, with Russia and Poland abstaining, that the British-Albanian minefield dispute should be judged by the International Court of Justice.

It was the first case directed to the court by the council since the contemporary Hague tribunal was organized under the United Nations Charter.

Albania opposed the British proposal in a short statement to the council but some delegates held that since Albania agreed to accept the council's decision the Soviet satellite was obliged to go to court.

Albania is not a United Nations member but may go before the court by agreeing to abide by its decision.

Eight delegates formally approved Britain's proposal to lay the dispute before the 15 justices at The Hague. Britain, as a party to the dispute, was not permitted to vote.

Gromyko Withholds Veto

Andrej A. Gromyko, Soviet delegate who on March 25 vetoed a majority-approved British resolution censuring Albania in the Corfu case, made it clear that he did not like the British resolution.

However, he withheld Russia's veto after a short verbal battle with Australia's Col. W. R. Hodgson over the veto.

Hodgson supported the British proposal and said the veto by Gromyko had "prevented the will of the majority of the council from becoming effective and so stultified the work of the council."

Gromyko snapped back that Hodgson was suffering "from an illness which I might describe as vetophobia."

He said Russia felt there was no basis for bringing Albania before the court.

Dr. Quo Tai-Chi, of China, council chairman, expressed belief that Albania's acceptance of the obligation to abide by council decision meant she was obliged to comply with the rulings of both the council and the court.

Arms Plan Ordered

Earlier in the day the United Nations Commission for Conventional Armaments ordered the five great powers to get together on a plan for tackling the problem of reducing the world's arms and forces.

The arms decision split the Big Five three ways.

The commission decided by nine votes out of 11 to establish a subcommittee to frame a work plan for submission to the United Nations Security Council. Britain wanted a committee of the whole commission, then abstained from the vote along with Belgium.

The commission finally decided by a bare six-vote majority that the subcommittee should be limited to the fire great powers—China, Britain, France, Russia and the United States.

Newsprint Relief Plan

WASHINGTON, April 9—(AP)—Sen. Capehart (R-Ind.) today introduced a bill to set up a newsprint relief system for publishers facing shortages.

The proposed voluntary plan would be operative for a year under direction of a nine-man committee.

House GOP High Command Okays New Labor Bill

Scheduled For Vote By End Of Next Week

WASHINGTON, April 9—(AP)—A new labor bill clamping sweeping curbs on unions won the approval of House Republican leaders today and was booked for a House vote by the end of next week.

It still has to get a formal okay from the Labor Committee. Some details will be changed in the process.

But it is scheduled now to reach the floor in a form that would tighten the rules on strikes in general and deprive unions of the right to:

Pull eight specific kinds of strikes, to obtain the closed shop, and to bargain with an entire industry for better pay or working conditions.

Chairman Hartley (R-NH) and other Republicans on the Labor Committee laid the bill before GOP leaders and the policy-forming party steering committee today. They went over it most of the morning and afternoon.

As a result, changes will be written in to remove an absolute ban on the union shop and to provide what Hartley said is in reality a cooling off period during attempts to avoid strikes affecting the national safety, health or welfare.

The union shop allows a firm to hire anyone it wishes, but the new employe must join the union soon afterward.

Under the change agreed upon in the strategy huddles, a labor-management contract can include a union shop provision if both parties want it. But there can be no strike to obtain it, and a majority of the members in a collective bargaining unit must vote that they want it.

Sinatra Is Released On Bail After Fracas

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif., April 9 (AP) — Crooner Frank Sinatra surrendered in Beverly Hills Justice Court today on a misdemeanor warrant charging battery, outgrowth of a fracas last night at Ciro's Restaurant.

He was taken immediately before Justice Bert Woodard, who had signed the warrant on complaint of Lee Mortimer, movie columnist for the New York Daily Mirror.

Sinatra pleaded innocent and demanded a jury trial, which the judge set for May 28 at 10 a. m. The crooner was released on $500 bail.

Earlier Dr. Lloyd P. Tainter, of West Hollywood Emergency Hospital, diagnosed Mortimer's injuries as a swollen left cheek, swelling behind the left ear and bruises of the right wrist.

The New York Daily Mirror columnist has been here for five days, on one of his periodic trips to the movie capital. Known, like Sinatra, as a little fellow who dislikes to be shoved around, Mortimer is just about a match for the crooner. They both are about five feet, eight inches tall; tip the scales at 140 or a little less.

Said Mortimer, who acknowledges that he has criticized Frankie more than once in his column: "I was leaving Ciro's with Miss Kay Kino, a band singer, when Sinatra and three men jumped me. The first thing I knew, I was on the floor and the next thing I knew was when I saw a face that looked like Sinatra's above me."

The crooner's attorney, Albert Pearlson, said Frankie was called "a nasty name" by Mortimer, and: "Frankie told him to mind his own business. Mortimer made a lunge for him and Frankie let him have it. Actually, if anyone's at fault, it is Mortimer. There's a law against using profanity."

Molotov Blocks German-Polish Border Proposal

Commission To Fix Boundary Suggested

MOSCOW, April 9—(AP)—Britain and the United States proposed tonight that an international commission be created to work out details of a compromise German-Polish border which would allow Poland to retain control of industrial Silesia but return to Germany some agricultural lands now occupied by the Poles.

The proposal, made in the four-power Council of Foreign Ministers, was immediately blocked by V. M. Molotov, of Russia. He argued that Poland should retain all of the 40,000 square miles of Eastern German territory—including Silesia and the farm lands—which were placed under her administration at Potsdam.

Foreign Minister Georges Bidault, of France, agreed that the boundary question should be studied further, but did not say whether he favored or opposed the present frontier.

United States Secretary of State George Marshall and British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin both quoted hitherto unpublished speeches by Prime Minister Stalin at Potsdam, to back up their arguments that the present Polish frontier was not then considered final.

Molotov, in turn, quoted from a radio speech by President Truman which, the Russian said, showed that Mr. Truman considered the nently at Potsdam.

Under the Potsdam agreement, Poland was given control of German lands east of the Oder and Neisse Rivers.

Since the war, Molotov said, Poland has deported more than 5,000,000 Germans from the disputed lands and sent an approximately equal number of Poles into the territory as settlers.

Marshall proposed specifically that Southeastern Prussia should remain Polish territory and that German Upper Silesia should remain under Polish control, but that its coal and resources should "be available to sustain the economy of Europe."

The remaining territory, Marshall said, should be considered on the basis of the needs of the Poles, the Germans and Europe as a whole.

Hopes Raised For Complete Accord Soon

Policy Committee Must Pass On Plan

WASHINGTON, April 9 (AP) — Long distance workers and the American Telephone and Telegraph Company agreed tonight on a basis for settlement of their part of the nationwide strike, offering new hope for a general agreement soon.

The basic agreement still must be submitted to the policy committee of the National Federation of Telephone Workers, which is directing the strike of those and other telephone workers over the nation.

The tentative settlement was announced at 11:30 p. m. EST tonight.

President John J. Moran, of the American Union of Telephone Workers, long lines affiliate of the national federation, emphasized that the overall policy committee still must pass on the proposals. He described the plan as the final offer of the A. T. and T. in 10 days of solid negotiations under government auspices here.

The announcement renewed general settlement hopes that had been dashed earlier in the night by the collapse of negotiations between the NFTW and the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, biggest A. T. and T. affiliate, which also had been moved here.

The long distance agreement was praised by Conciliation Director Edgar L. Warren, who expressed the hope that the "steady and tedious progress made in that phase of the negotiations will carry over into the many other bargaining sessions going on all over the country."

Committee Meeting Slated

The NFTW, whose more than 300,000 members across the nation have been on strike since Monday morning, has scheduled a meeting of its policy committee at 11 a. m. tomorrow.

Following is the statement of AUTW President Moran:

"The American Union of Telephone Workers and the American Telephone and Telegraph Company have made substantial progress in the last two days and all of the 81 items of a local nature have been agreed upon. We believe that as a result of our talks on the 10 national items, we fully understand each other's position.

"The union now will submit the company's proposals to the union's general executive board in New York and later to the policy committee of the National Federation of Telephone Workers for considerations.

"It should be understood that the union has been bargaining only for its members who are employed by the long lines department of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and that the company's proposals apply to members of this union only.

"We have not been attempting to establish a national pattern for the industry and have no idea as to whether or not the proposals submitted to this union will be offered to other telephone unions.

"This union's members will not return to work until a settlement has been reached between all striking telephone unions in the National Federation of Telephone Workers and their respective companies."

Officials Encouraged

Despite Moran's emphasis on the idea that the agreement applies only on long lines, government officials took encouragement from the fact that a long lines settlement laid the groundwork for heading off a threatened strike last year.

Warren, however, was reserved in his official comment.

"Tonight's work ends one phase of this job," he said in a statement. "We appreciate that this is not the last step in the settlement of this strike but it is a long step forward."

"Fast" Time For Hub City

HAGERSTOWN, Md., April 9—(AP)—The Mayor and Council voted today to put Hagerstown on daylight saving time effective Sunday morning, April 27.

Man Held As Kidnaper Declares Child Is "Like My Own Daughter"

NEW ORLEANS, April 9 (AP) — William G. Fuller, held here under $10,000 bond in connection with the alleged kidnaping of Mary Ann Kubon, said tonight the five-year-old child is "like my own daughter" and that "I don't have the guts for kidnaping."

Interviewed in the parish prison, Fuller protested that no harm was meant to Mary Ann "because I love her so much."

"Is that why you took her away?" he was asked.

"Well, I didn't see anything wrong under the circumstances," Fuller replied. He added that he had never attempted to conceal the identity of himself or the child. He said he had used his own name in his travels.

The former convict was charged in Chicago with kidnaping Mary Ann on June 29, 1945 and since has been sought throughout the country by the FBI on charges of unlawful flight to avoid prosecution.

C. E. Weeks, FBI agent here, said Fuller was apprehended on a highway near here last night as he attempted to hitchhike a ride to New York. He was accompanied by his wife and the little girl.

The child, daughter of Mrs. Myrtle Kubon, 27, was taken from a foster home in Chicago.

Mrs. Kubon had placed the child in the home after she left her husband, Walter, 29, on June 14, 1945. Shortly afterwards they were reconciled and when they visited the foster home on June 28 Mary Ann was gone.

War Inevitable Unless U. S., Russia Reach Understanding, Wallace Says

LONDON, April 9 (AP)—Henry A. Wallace declared today that "World War III is inevitable" unless the United States and Russia reach an understanding, and said Europeans were watching the two countries "getting ready for a death struggle."

Wallace criticized bitterly President Truman's proposed aid to Greece and Turkey. He expressed fear that a policy of lending money "for the political purpose of stopping Russian expansion" would establish "during the next three months a pattern which if pursued might lead to war."

"People in Europe are watching these two great giants, America and Russia, getting ready for a death struggle," the former United States Vice President told a news conference of more than 200 correspondents.

"We are not going to get anywhere by being anti-Russian or anti-Communist. The only thing we shall all get out of that will be eventual war and the loss of our own way of life in the process. That would be the world's greatest tragedy."

Wallace compared Russia and the United States to "two big dogs smelling each other.

"Once two such dogs have fully satisfied themselves, they usually don't fight," he said. "But right now they are still smelling each other, fore and aft."

Examinations Of Pre-School Group Being Scheduled

Physical Checkups Will Begin Monday

The first of approximately 1,200 similar letters were sent out yesterday by the Cumberland Health Department and the Board of Examination to parents of 155 children who will enter Gephart, West Side and Centre Street Schools in September, notifying them of the physical examination schedule arranged as part of the summer roundup for pre-school children.

Examinations will be free of charge and results will be sent to family physicians. Mothers were asked to accompany their children for the examination so that they may receive the benefits of the health physician's advice in case physical defects are found.

Dr. Joseph P. Franklin, city and county health officer, and Dr. Winter R. Frantz, assistant city and county health officer, will conduct the examinations, which will begin Monday and continue through Tuesday, May 13. The schedule follows:

Monday, April 14 — 9:30 a. m., Carver High School; 10 a. m., St. Patrick's; 1:30 p. m., West Side; 1:15 p. m., Centre Street.

Tuesday, April 15—9:30 a. m., SS. Peter and Paul Parochial School; Gephart, 1:30 p. m.; St. Mary's Parochial School, 1:30 p. m.

Wednesday, April 16 — John Humbird, 9:30 a. m.

Thursday, April 17—Pennsylvania Avenue, 9:30 a. m. and 1:15 p. m.

Friday, April 18—LaVale, 1:30 p. m.; Johnson Heights, 1:30 p. m.

Monday, April 21 — Beall Elementary, Frostburg, 9:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m.

Tuesday, April 22—Hill Street School, Frostburg, 9:30 a. m.

Wednesday, April 23 — Frostburg Parochial, 9:45 a. m.; Lincoln, 10:45 a. m.

Thursday, April 24—McCoole, 9:30 a. m.; Westernport Parochial, 10:45 a. m.; Luke, 11:15 a. m.

Friday, April 25—Eckhart, 10 a. m.

Monday, April 28—Barton, 9:30 a. m.; East Side, 1:15 p. m.; Mt. Savage Parochial, 1:30 p. m.; Mt. Savage Public, 2 p. m.; Dutch Hollow, 2:45 p. m.

Tuesday, April 29 — Midland Parochial, 9:30 a. m.; Midland Public, 10 a. m.; Central High School, Lonaconing, 1:15 p. m.; Detmold-Rockville, 1:15 p. m.; Virginia Avenue, 1:30 p. m.

Wednesday, April 30 — Jackson School, 9:30 a. m.; Pekin, 11 a. m.; Moscow, 11:15 a. m.

Thursday, May 1—Paper Mill, 9:30 a. m.; Corriganville, 10 a. m.; Ellerslie, 10:45 a. m.; Barrelville, 11:15 a. m.

Friday, May 2—Hammond Street School, 9:30 a. m. and 1 p. m.

Monday, May 5—Oldtown, 9:30 a. m.; Piney Plains, 1 p. m.; Flintstone, 2:15 p. m.

Tuesday, May 6—Cresaptown, 9:30 a. m. and 1 p. m.

Monday, May 12—Columbia Street, 9:30 a. m. and 1:15 p. m.

Tuesday, May 13 — College Elementary, Frostburg, 9:30 a. m.

Marine Auxiliary Officers Elected

Temporary officers were elected and eight signatures were secured for the charter at the first meeting of the Marine Corps League Auxiliary Unit of Francis K. Finan Detachment, held last night at league headquarters, 120 South Mechanic Street.

Those named were Mrs. Nancy Bennett, president; Mrs. Conneal Patch, senior vice president; Mrs. Nellie Ruehl, junior vice president; Mrs. Lela Ritter, judge advocate; Mrs. Evelyn Harris, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Avis Thompson, chief of staff.

The office of chaplain has not been filled as yet, but Mrs. Bennett acted in the capacity at the meeting. The temporary officers will serve until the charter has been approved by national headquarters at Albany, N. Y., and returned here, after which permanent heads and committee chairmen will be named.

Besides the six officers, others whose signatures have been obtained for the charter are Mrs. Fleta Debnam and Mrs. Patricia Corbin. Mrs. Thompson, who presided, explained, that although a minimum of only seven signatures is required, the charter will be available at league headquarters until Monday, April 14, so that other new members may sign it and become charter members.

All mothers, wives, sisters, widows and daughters, the latter over 16 years of age, of Marines who have served or are serving in the Marine Corps are eligible, regardless of whether the Marine is a member of Francis K. Finan Detachment.

It was decided to hold meetings on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. The next meeting will be held Tuesday, April 22, at 8 p. m.

Cut In Tax Rate Is Not Likely, County Says

If county officials are able to hold the new tax levy within five cents either way of the present $1.77 when they confere Friday, tax authorities said yesterday "it will be a good job."

The county officials indicated that any additional revenue that may be anticipated cannot be included in the new levy since sufficient information regarding just how much the county will realize has not yet been presented.

However, the big reason that county officials have discounted the new measures as far as the levy is concerned is the fact that the levy which has to be ready next Tuesday must be based on tangible assets.

In view of the uncertainty in regard to new measures, as yet unsigned by the Governor, this means that the levy will probably be patterned after that of last year with minor exceptions, they said.

Chappell Is Named Deputy Sheriff

William J. Chappell, one-time Chief of Police in Barton, yesterday was sworn in to fill the unexpired term of William Izat, 52, deputy sheriff, who died Sunday.

Chappell who has been employed as steward at the Barton Hose Company Club rooms was sworn in by Clerk of Court Robert Jackson with Sheriff Edward R. Muir, who made the appointment, in attendance.

The new deputy is vice-president of the Allegany-Garrett County Volunteer Firemen's Association. He assumed his duties yesterday.

Basketball National League

Chicago American Gears 79, Rochester (NY) Royals 68.

(Chicago wins series three games to one).

DEATHS

MRS. TWIGG RITES

A funeral service for Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Twigg, 85, widow of Peter J. Twigg, who died yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Wheeler, 101 Helen Street, after an illness of seven weeks, will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. in the Hafer Funeral Home.

Rev. C. H. Wakeman will officiate and burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery.

Born at Levels, W. Va., she was a daughter of the late Samuel and Christine Lechliter Robertson and a member of First Brethren Church.

Also surviving are two sons, George Vernon Twigg, Winchester, Va., and William M. Twigg, Enola, Pa.; six other daughters, Mrs. Thomas Freeland, Wiley Ford, and Mrs. George Duckworth, Mrs. Chris Parsoudis, Mrs. Leroy Campbell, Mrs. William Gordon and Mrs. John Nee, all of this city; two brothers, Everhart and Richard Robertson, also of Cumberland; 38 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

MR. ZEMBOWER RITES

A funeral service for Freeman Denton Zembower, 53, 168 North Centre Street, who died yesterday morning in Allegany Hospital where he had been a patient since last Friday, will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Hafer Funeral Home.

Rev. Elmer Keefer and Rev. Frank J. Fratto, of North Cumberland Assembly of God Church, will officiate.

Interment will be in Hillcrest Burial Park.

Zembower was a farmer in the Bedford Valley, Pa., section until six years ago when he moved to Cumberland.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Flossie Welsh Zembower, a daughter, Esther Maxine, at home; six brothers, Ross, LaVale; Jay, Walter, Floyd and Fred, all of Bedford Valley; Melvin, Philadelphia; a sister, Mrs. Mae Radcliffe, Vale Summit, and four stepchildren, Mrs. Grace Deeter, this city; Mrs. Bruce Patow, Corriganville, and Walter and Earl Orndorff, both at home.

MRS. SARAH STEWART

Mrs. Sarah Jane Kifer Stewart, 88 died last night at 8:15 o'clock at the home of her niece, Miss Cora Kifer, Route 40, on the east side of Polish Mountain, after an illness of four months.

She was the widow of Daniel F. Stewart who died six years ago. Mrs. Stewart was a native and lifelong resident of the Flintstone section. She was the last member of her family.

Also surviving are one son, Harry Stewart, a daughter, Mrs. Belva Diehl, both of this city, nine grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

The body will remain at the Hafer Funeral Home.

MRS. UNA SCHWALM

Mrs. Una W. Schwalm, 34, 449 North Centre Street, died in Memorial Hospital late yesterday afternoon a short time after she was admitted for treatment.

A native of Cumberland, Mrs. Schwalm was a daughter of Bradford M. and Belle Valentine Welsh. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Surviving besides her parents are two children, Robert F. and Linda Faye, at home; one brother, Floyd M. Welsh, Cumberland, and one sister, Mrs. Thelma Dunlap, Torrance, Pa.

The body will remain at the George Funeral Home.

MRS. NOAH PEABODY

Mrs. Laura Belle Peabody, 83, wife of Noah Peabody, Mann's Choice, Pa., died at her home at 10 p. m. yesterday. She was a daughter of the late Joseph and Sarah Bagley Tiday.

Surviving besides her husband are four children, Mrs. Myrtle Stouffer, Mann's Choice; Pvt. Robert Peabody, with the Army in Germany; C. E. Meyers, Akron, Ohio, and Mrs. Homer Ritchey, Akron; one sister, Miss Annie Tiday, Mann's Choice; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be held at the residence at 2:30 p. m. Friday with Rev. C. E. Whetstone, pastor of the Reformed Church, officiating. Interment will be in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Mann's Choice.

QUICKIES

By KEN REYNOLDS

"I sold my gun with a Times-News Want Ad—it's my trigger finger I hurt, you know!"

Military Training Meeting Scheduled

A conference on universal military training and the part the local Army Advisory Committee and local veterans' organizations will play in it will be held here April 16 with Norman A. Imrie, civilian representative of Headquarters, Fifth Service Command, Fort Hayes, Ohio, as the principal speaker.

Imrie, according to Capt. Thomas Stafford, unit instructor of the Organized Reserve Corps, has almost exclusively been charged with the organization and direction of Army advisory committees within the Fifth Service Command.

The meeting, to be held in Room 5, Union Street County Building, will begin at 8 p. m. A movie, "Return of the Honored Dead," dealing with the return of dead to this country from overseas, will be shown.

Worker Is Injured

Charles Lewis, 424 North Mechanic Street, was treated in Allegany Hospital yesterday morning for a cut on the head. He told attaches he was hurt when he was struck by a concrete block while at work for the David Oglivie contracting firm.

News Briefs

Aden Lewis, music instructor at Cresaptown Junior High School, gave a piano recital last night as a feature of the dinner meeting of the Frederick County Teachers Association in Frederick.

Sons of the American Legion drum corps of Fort Cumberland Post No. 13 will be entered in the parade of the Apple Blossom Festival at Winchester, Va., May 2. The first outdoor practice of 1947 will be held tonight at 8 o'clock, weather permitting. In the event of rain, drills will be conducted at the post home. Majorettes are asked to attend drill practice.

West Side Fire Company extinguished a grass fire off the 700 block of Fayette Street yesterday at 1:55 p. m.

The Board of Directors of the Community Chest will meet tonight at 7:30 p. m. in the local office, Liberty Trust Building.

Wright Funeral Services Held

By GEORGE HANST

OAKLAND, April 9 — Lawson Wright, 74, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Coddington, near Oakland, Sunday morning. He was a son of the late William and Jane Wright and was born in this county April 22, 1872.

Surviving are five children, Lloyd Wright, Chillicothe, O.; Mrs. Mae Rose, Kirby, Pa.; Miss Grace Wright, at home; Mrs. Clarence Chadderton, Bobtown, Pa.; Mrs. William Coddington, Oakland; seventeen grandchildren; and the following brothers and sisters, Charles Wright, McHenry; C. L. Wright, Keyser, W. Va.; Allen Wright, Deer Park; Roy Wright, Wilson, Md.; Mrs. Cora Reis, Deer Park; Mrs. Della Taylor, Salisbury, Md.; Mrs. Anna Bowen, Romney, W. Va.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Painter Church near Swanton, with Rev. C. W. Fraker, of McHenry, officiating. Interment was in the George cemetery near Swanton.

Man's 30-Day Jail Term Suspended

Accused of chasing his wife and granddaughter out of their Bowman's Addition home Tuesday night, Riley Robertson, 56, was given a suspended sentence of 30 days in the county jail and fined $10 and costs by Magistrate Frank A. Perdew in Trial Magistrates Court yesterday.

Robertson, charged with drunk and disorderly conduct, pleaded guilty and was paroled for one year.

State Trooper William F. Baker, who made the arrest, said Robertson had been drinking when he arrived home Tuesday night and chased his wife and granddaughter, Edna P. Ralston, 16, from the home, threatening the latter with a knife.

An assault charge against Melvin Bowers, negro, 308 Howard Place, was dismissed by Magistrate Oliver H. Bruce, Jr. He was accused of striking Rosella Brady, 215 Primrose Alley, during an alleged fight on Frederick Street.

Bowers was fined $15 Tuesday in Police Court on a disorderly conduct charge resulting from the disturbance. A similar charge against the woman was dismissed.

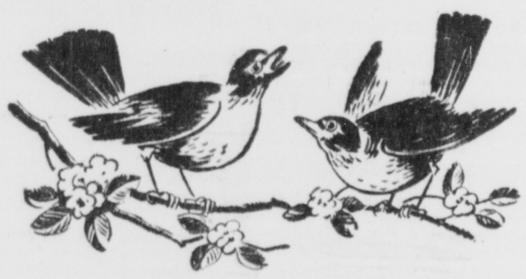
Celanese Corporation's Sales Show Increase

NEW YORK, April 9—(AP)—Celanese Corporation of America's first quarter sales were $44,383,756—equal to a rate of $177,535,024 a year, compared with $135,202,211 in all of 1946, William McC. Cameron, first vice-chairman told stockholders today at the annual meeting.

He said the three major divisions of chemicals, textiles, and plastics participated in the sales increase.

Wood pulp and linters are in sufficient supply for the near future, Cameron said. For long-term needs the company has purchased 15,000 square miles of timber area in British Columbia, where it will build a pulp mill within two years. It is also building a staple fibre plant at Narrows, Va., and a rayon yarn mill at Rock Hill, S. C.

Stockholders re-elected all directors and approved a company-wide pension plan with contributions by both employes and the company.



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Examinations Of Pre-School Group Being Scheduled

Physical Checkups Will Begin Monday

The first of approximately 1,200 similar letters were sent out yesterday by the Cumberland Health Department and the Board of Examination to parents of 155 children who will enter Gephart, West Side and Centre Street Schools in September, notifying them of the physical examination schedule arranged as part of the summer roundup for pre-school children.

Examinations will be free of charge and results will be sent to family physicians. Mothers were asked to accompany their children for the examination so that they may receive the benefits of the health physician's advice in case physical defects are found.

Dr. Joseph P. Franklin, city and county health officer, and Dr. Winter R. Frantz, assistant city and county health officer, will conduct the examinations, which will begin Monday and continue through Tuesday, May 13. The schedule follows:

Monday, April 14 — 9:30 a. m., Carver High School; 10 a. m., St. Patrick's; 1:30 p. m., West Side; 1:15 p. m., Centre Street.

Tuesday, April 15—9:30 a. m., SS. Peter and Paul Parochial School; Gephart, 1:30 p. m.; St. Mary's Parochial School, 1:30 p. m.

Wednesday, April 16 — John Humbird, 9:30 a. m.

Thursday, April 17—Pennsylvania Avenue, 9:30 a. m. and 1:15 p. m.

Friday, April 18—LaVale, 1:30 p. m.; Johnson Heights, 1:30 p. m.

Monday, April 21 — Beall Elementary, Frostburg, 9:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m.

Tuesday, April 22—Hill Street School, Frostburg, 9:30 a. m.

Wednesday, April 23 — Frostburg Parochial, 9:45 a. m.; Lincoln, 10:45 a. m.

Thursday, April 24—McCoole, 9:30 a. m.; Westernport Parochial, 10:45 a. m.; Luke, 11:15 a. m.

Friday, April 25—Eckhart, 10 a. m.

Monday, April 28—Barton, 9:30 a. m.; East Side, 1:15 p. m.; Mt. Savage Parochial, 1:30 p. m.; Mt. Savage Public, 2 p. m.; Dutch Hollow, 2:45 p. m.

Tuesday, April 29 — Midland Parochial, 9:30 a. m.; Midland Public, 10 a. m.; Central High School, Lonaconing, 1:15 p. m.; Detmold-Rockville, 1:15 p. m.; Virginia Avenue, 1:30 p. m.

Wednesday, April 30 — Jackson School, 9:30 a. m.; Pekin, 11 a. m.; Moscow, 11:15 a. m.

Thursday, May 1—Paper Mill, 9:30 a. m.; Corriganville, 10 a. m.; Ellerslie, 10:45 a. m.; Barrelville, 11:15 a. m.

Friday, May 2—Hammond Street School, 9:30 a. m. and 1 p. m.

Monday, May 5—Oldtown, 9:30 a. m.; Piney Plains, 1 p. m.; Flintstone, 2:15 p. m.

Tuesday, May 6—Cresaptown, 9:30 a. m. and 1 p. m.

Monday, May 12—Columbia Street, 9:30 a. m. and 1:15 p. m.

Tuesday, May 13 — College Elementary, Frostburg, 9:30 a. m.

Marine Auxiliary Officers Elected

Temporary officers were elected and eight signatures were secured for the charter at the first meeting of the Marine Corps League Auxiliary Unit of Francis K. Finan Detachment, held last night at league headquarters, 120 South Mechanic Street.

Those named were Mrs. Nancy Bennett, president; Mrs. Conneal Patch, senior vice president; Mrs. Nellie Ruehl, junior vice president; Mrs. Lela Ritter, judge advocate; Mrs. Evelyn Harris, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Avis Thompson, chief of staff.

The office of chaplain has not been filled as yet, but Mrs. Bennett acted in the capacity at the meeting. The temporary officers will serve until the charter has been approved by national headquarters at Albany, N. Y., and returned here, after which permanent heads and committee chairmen will be named.

Besides the six officers, others whose signatures have been obtained for the charter are Mrs. Fleta Debnam and Mrs. Patricia Corbin. Mrs. Thompson, who presided, explained, that although a minimum of only seven signatures is required, the charter will be available at league headquarters until Monday, April 14, so that other new members may sign it and become charter members.

All mothers, wives, sisters, widows and daughters, the latter over 16 years of age, of Marines who have served or are serving in the Marine Corps are eligible, regardless of whether the Marine is a member of Francis K. Finan Detachment.

It was decided to hold meetings on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. The next meeting will be held Tuesday, April 22, at 8 p. m.

Cut In Tax Rate Is Not Likely, County Says

If county officials are able to hold the new tax levy within five cents either way of the present $1.77 when they confere Friday, tax authorities said yesterday "it will be a good job."

The county officials indicated that any additional revenue that may be anticipated cannot be included in the new levy since sufficient information regarding just how much the county will realize has not yet been presented.

However, the big reason that county officials have discounted the new measures as far as the levy is concerned is the fact that the levy which has to be ready next Tuesday must be based on tangible assets.

In view of the uncertainty in regard to new measures, as yet unsigned by the Governor, this means that the levy will probably be patterned after that of last year with minor exceptions, they said.

Chappell Is Named Deputy Sheriff

William J. Chappell, one-time Chief of Police in Barton, yesterday was sworn in to fill the unexpired term of William Izat, 52, deputy sheriff, who died Sunday.

Chappell who has been employed as steward at the Barton Hose Company Club rooms was sworn in by Clerk of Court Robert Jackson with Sheriff Edward R. Muir, who made the appointment, in attendance.

The new deputy is vice-president of the Allegany-Garrett County Volunteer Firemen's Association. He assumed his duties yesterday.

Basketball National League

Chicago American Gears 79, Rochester (NY) Royals 68.

(Chicago wins series three games to one).

DEATHS

MRS. TWIGG RITES

A funeral service for Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Twigg, 85, widow of Peter J. Twigg, who died yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Wheeler, 101 Helen Street, after an illness of seven weeks, will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m. in the Hafer Funeral Home.

Rev. C. H. Wakeman will officiate and burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery.

Born at Levels, W. Va., she was a daughter of the late Samuel and Christine Lechliter Robertson and a member of First Brethren Church.

Also surviving are two sons, George Vernon Twigg, Winchester, Va., and William M. Twigg, Enola, Pa.; six other daughters, Mrs. Thomas Freeland, Wiley Ford, and Mrs. George Duckworth, Mrs. Chris Parsoudis, Mrs. Leroy Campbell, Mrs. William Gordon and Mrs. John Nee, all of this city; two brothers, Everhart and Richard Robertson, also of Cumberland; 38 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

MR. ZEMBOWER RITES

A funeral service for Freeman Denton Zembower, 53, 168 North Centre Street, who died yesterday morning in Allegany Hospital where he had been a patient since last Friday, will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Hafer Funeral Home.

Rev. Elmer Keefer and Rev. Frank J. Fratto, of North Cumberland Assembly of God Church, will officiate.

Interment will be in Hillcrest Burial Park.

Zembower was a farmer in the Bedford Valley, Pa., section until six years ago when he moved to Cumberland.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Flossie Welsh Zembower, a daughter, Esther Maxine, at home; six brothers, Ross, LaVale; Jay, Walter, Floyd and Fred, all of Bedford Valley; Melvin, Philadelphia; a sister, Mrs. Mae Radcliffe, Vale Summit, and four stepchildren, Mrs. Grace Deeter, this city; Mrs. Bruce Patow, Corriganville, and Walter and Earl Orndorff, both at home.

MRS. SARAH STEWART

Mrs. Sarah Jane Kifer Stewart, 88 died last night at 8:15 o'clock at the home of her niece, Miss Cora Kifer, Route 40, on the east side of Polish Mountain, after an illness of four months.

She was the widow of Daniel F. Stewart who died six years ago. Mrs. Stewart was a native and lifelong resident of the Flintstone section. She was the last member of her family.

Also surviving are one son, Harry Stewart, a daughter, Mrs. Belva Diehl, both of this city, nine grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

The body will remain at the Hafer Funeral Home.

MRS. UNA SCHWALM

Mrs. Una W. Schwalm, 34, 449 North Centre Street, died in Memorial Hospital late yesterday afternoon a short time after she was admitted for treatment.

A native of Cumberland, Mrs. Schwalm was a daughter of Bradford M. and Belle Valentine Welsh. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Surviving besides her parents are two children, Robert F. and Linda Faye, at home; one brother, Floyd M. Welsh, Cumberland, and one sister, Mrs. Thelma Dunlap, Torrance, Pa.

The body will remain at the George Funeral Home.

MRS. NOAH PEABODY

Mrs. Laura Belle Peabody, 83, wife of Noah Peabody, Mann's Choice, Pa., died at her home at 10 p. m. yesterday. She was a daughter of the late Joseph and Sarah Bagley Tiday.

Surviving besides her husband are four children, Mrs. Myrtle Stouffer, Mann's Choice; Pvt. Robert Peabody, with the Army in Germany; C. E. Meyers, Akron, Ohio, and Mrs. Homer Ritchey, Akron; one sister, Miss Annie Tiday, Mann's Choice; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be held at the residence at 2:30 p. m. Friday with Rev. C. E. Whetstone, pastor of the Reformed Church, officiating. Interment will be in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Mann's Choice.

QUICKIES

By KEN REYNOLDS

"I sold my gun with a Times-News Want Ad—it's my trigger finger I hurt, you know!"

Military Training Meeting Scheduled

A conference on universal military training and the part the local Army Advisory Committee and local veterans' organizations will play in it will be held here April 16 with Norman A. Imrie, civilian representative of Headquarters, Fifth Service Command, Fort Hayes, Ohio, as the principal speaker.

Imrie, according to Capt. Thomas Stafford, unit instructor of the Organized Reserve Corps, has almost exclusively been charged with the organization and direction of Army advisory committees within the Fifth Service Command.

The meeting, to be held in Room 5, Union Street County Building, will begin at 8 p. m. A movie, "Return of the Honored Dead," dealing with the return of dead to this country from overseas, will be shown.

Worker Is Injured

Charles Lewis, 424 North Mechanic Street, was treated in Allegany Hospital yesterday morning for a cut on the head. He told attaches he was hurt when he was struck by a concrete block while at work for the David Oglivie contracting firm.

News Briefs

Aden Lewis, music instructor at Cresaptown Junior High School, gave a piano recital last night as a feature of the dinner meeting of the Frederick County Teachers Association in Frederick.

Sons of the American Legion drum corps of Fort Cumberland Post No. 13 will be entered in the parade of the Apple Blossom Festival at Winchester, Va., May 2. The first outdoor practice of 1947 will be held tonight at 8 o'clock, weather permitting. In the event of rain, drills will be conducted at the post home. Majorettes are asked to attend drill practice.

West Side Fire Company extinguished a grass fire off the 700 block of Fayette Street yesterday at 1:55 p. m.

The Board of Directors of the Community Chest will meet tonight at 7:30 p. m. in the local office, Liberty Trust Building.

Wright Funeral Services Held

By GEORGE HANST

OAKLAND, April 9—Lawson Wright, 74, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Coddington, near Oakland, Sunday morning. He was a son of the late William and Jane Wright and was born in this county April 22, 1872.

Surviving are five children, Lloyd Wright, Chillicothe, O.; Mrs. Mae Rose, Kirby, Pa.; Miss Grace Wright, at home; Mrs. Clarence Chadderton, Bobtown, Pa.; Mrs. William Coddington, Oakland; seventeen grandchildren; and the following brothers and sisters, Charles Wright, McHenry; C. L. Wright, Keyser, W. Va.; Allen Wright, Deer Park; Roy Wright, Wilson, Md.; Mrs. Cora Reis, Deer Park; Mrs. Della Taylor, Salisbury, Md.; Mrs. Anna Bowen, Romney, W. Va.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Painter Church near Swanton, with Rev. C. W. Fraker, of McHenry, officiating. Interment was in the George cemetery near Swanton.

Man's 30-Day Jail Term Suspended

Accused of chasing his wife and granddaughter out of their Bowman's Addition home Tuesday night, Riley Robertson, 56, was given a suspended sentence of 30 days in the county jail and fined $10 and costs by Magistrate Frank A. Perdew in Trial Magistrates Court yesterday.

Robertson, charged with drunk and disorderly conduct, pleaded guilty and was paroled for one year.

State Trooper William F. Baker, who made the arrest, said Robertson had been drinking when he arrived home Tuesday night and chased his wife and granddaughter, Edna P. Ralston, 16, from the home, threatening the latter with a knife.

An assault charge against Melvin Bowers, negro, 308 Howard Place, was dismissed by Magistrate Oliver H. Bruce, Jr. He was accused of striking Rosella Brady, 215 Primrose Alley, during an alleged fight on Frederick Street.

Bowers was fined $15 Tuesday in Police Court on a disorderly conduct charge resulting from the disturbance. A similar charge against the woman was dismissed.

Celanese Corporation's Sales Show Increase

NEW YORK, April 9—(AP)—Celanese Corporation of America's first quarter sales were $44,383,756—equal to a rate of $177,535,024 a year, compared with $135,202,211 in all of 1946, William McC. Cameron, first vice-chairman told stockholders today at the annual meeting.

He said the three major divisions of chemicals, textiles, and plastics participated in the sales increase.

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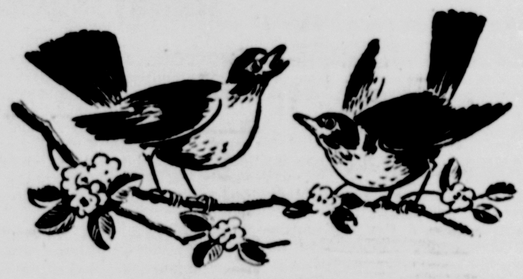

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Civil Service Board Plans Examinations

The Civil Service Commission of Cumberland will hold examinations here April 29 for certification to positions on the police and fire departments and for the post of assistant fire chief, it was announced yesterday.

The city clerk will issue application blanks beginning Friday and applications must be returned by April 23 in order for candidates to be eligible for the examinations to be held April 29 at 7 p. m. in Fort Hill High School.

Any member of the fire department is eligible for the examinations for the post of assistant fire chief but other candidates for the post must have reached 21 but not be over 35.

W. L. Lindner was named acting assistant chief some time ago but Civil Service rules require that examinations be held for the position.

Ten applicants may be certified for the 16 vacancies in the police and fire departments.

Survey Is Planned Of Hill Fire Loss

Estimate of the total area burned over in the brush and forest fires on hills at the northern and eastern outskirts of the city Easter Sunday, and the amount of damage have not yet been made, and a survey is planned in that connection, according to District Forester William A. Parr.

Groups of careless boys were blamed for most of the fires, which burned at least 1,000 acres, and one forest warden said there is evidence that the blaze on Wills Mountain started from a small fire built by boys having a holiday wiener roast. He added that the fire apparently got out of control, ignited nearby brush and swept through the woodland, fanned by strong winds.

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Civil Service Board Plans Examinations

The Civil Service Commission of Cumberland will hold examinations here April 29 for certification to positions on the police and fire departments and for the post of assistant fire chief, it was announced yesterday.

The city clerk will issue application blanks beginning Friday and applications must be returned by April 23 in order for candidates to be eligible for the examinations to be held April 29 at 7 p. m. in Fort Hill High School.

Any member of the fire department is eligible for the examinations for the post of assistant fire chief but other candidates for the post must have reached 21 but not be over 35.

W. L. Lindner was named acting assistant chief some time ago but Civil Service rules require that examinations be held for the position.

Ten applicants may be certified for the 16 vacancies in the police and fire departments.

Survey Is Planned Of Hill Fire Loss

Estimate of the total area burned over in the brush and forest fires on hills at the northern and eastern outskirts of the city Easter Sunday, and the amount of damage have not yet been made, and a survey is planned in that connection, according to District Forester William A. Parr.

Groups of careless boys were blamed for most of the fires, which burned at least 1,000 acres, and one forest warden said there is evidence that the blaze on Wills Mountain started from a small fire built by boys having a holiday wiener roast. He added that the fire apparently got out of control, ignited nearby brush and swept through the woodland, fanned by strong winds.

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County Commissioners Find Tax Rate Cut Impossible

In reviewing the fate of revenue-raising bills offered in the Maryland General Assembly which would have, if one or more of them had passed, brought tax relief to the people of Allegany County, we probably took too much for granted from the prediction made by Delegate Whitworth, at the close of the recent session, that State revenue would make possible lowering of the tax rate.

It now has been discovered the bills providing financial aid by the State to the counties will not be available to apply to this year's operation costs of county government and services. Because of this, Delegate Whitworth now has explained to the County Commissioners that county taxpayers can expect no relief on this year's taxes, so far as these laws are concerned. Delegate Whitworth had estimated that probably as much as 25 cents reduction from the present rate would be possible. Instead, it now appears certain that the tax rate will have to be increased because bills which would have permitted the county to tap new sources of revenue were either withdrawn in face of uncertainties, amended too late to permit passage, or deleted to permit a referendum on the state sales tax, as was the case in one instance.

But it goes without saying, the people of the county will be somewhat disappointed over the inability of the County Commissioners, under the circumstances, to make possible the one thing, above all others, they would like to do—lower the tax rate. Most of the taxpayers, no doubt, will realize that in hoping for a tax reduction they were perhaps expecting too much in the face of the rising costs of governments. They will not lose sight of the fact, however, that had not the bills providing extra revenue through new taxation taken such a kicking around in the General Assembly the tax rate, if it could not have been reduced, probably could have been held at its present level.

Support Of Cancer Control Campaign Should Be Generous

Finding a cure for cancer is a problem more complex than the development of the atomic bomb. Yet here is an unconquered enemy more insidious in its infiltration and more destructive of life than ever threatened the American nation through military power.

Cancer took twice as many lives of Americans as were taken by the Germans and Japanese between Pearl Harbor and V-J Day. Cancer is killing more than 18 Americans every hour. The key to the mystery of life and growth—and to detecting the point at which growth goes astray, producing cancer—has not been found, as was the cyclotron which was the open sesame to atomic energy.

But, through the continuing efforts of the American Cancer Society, financed by public contributions, a beachhead in this battle at least has been established. Judicious distribution of research funds so that scientists can tackle the cancer problem simultaneously in laboratories throughout the United States has increased the chances that one day one of them will turn up the crucial fact pointing to a solution.

For this work, for national preventive educational efforts and for actual case treatment, $12,000,000 is needed in 1947. April has been designated "Cancer Control Month" and the campaign for these funds is underway. The people of Cumberland and Allegany County have been called upon to help raise the amount asked. Advised of the facts and in the knowledge that no effort that is "too little and too late" will be able to carry the day against so grim a foe, it is not too much to expect that every person in this and other county communities will do his or her part in swelling the fund.

Last of the Titans Of U. S. Industrial Revolution

In the death of Henry Ford, last of the titans of America's industrial revolution of the early twentieth century, has passed the man who did more than any other who ever lived to change the civilization of his time. Edison, Rockefeller, Carnegie, Firestone, Schwab all left their impress, and in each case it was formidable. Edison in particular wrought mightily for mankind.

But it was Ford who was largely responsible for the rapid strides made by the automobile, and the transportation evolution of the last half century undoubtedly did more to speed progress than can be attributed to any other advancement.

Henry Ford succeeded because he had unbounded vision and daring—and because he operated in an era of free enterprise such as the nation does not enjoy now. He started poor and died the nation's wealthiest man. When he made money, he reinvested it in his business, provided employment for additional thousands of workers, and brought the prices of automobiles to unbelievably low levels. In 1926 a Ford roadster sold for $260.

Ford's was a form of industrial genius that is unknown today because changed conditions put an effective curb on it. He belonged to times in which the nation forged ahead rapidly because people worked with their brains and hands as did those of no other country.

Ford took the lead in mechanizing the nation and his success was the inspiration of great achievements by dozens of other men who accepted the challenge of his pioneering spirit. When $2 a day or less, was the average wage in factories, he boldly announced a minimum wage of $5 a day, and 10 years later the prices of his cars had been cut more than 50 per cent.

The nation, which will never see his like again, owes much to Henry Ford.

Incident Averted

A dispatch from Eshowe, Zululand, brings word that the Zulu name for King George VI of England is "The Royal Black Elephant." The choice of color in that title is probably a happier one than the Zulus realize, and it may have prevented another bit of trouble in this troubled old world. For think what might have happened, in this day when empires are tottering and monarchs are ever more expendable, if the Zulus had dubbed their recent kingly visitor "The Royal White Elephant."

HOW TO KEEP WELL

By Dr. Theodore R. Van Dellen

To the limit of space, questions pertaining to the prevention of disease will be answered. Personal replies will be made, under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is inclosed. Dr. Van Dellen will not make diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases.

GLOBAL DISEASE

THE statement "No sickly people can be great people" is well illustrated by many of the nations today. To make them healthy would require more than medical aid as disease flourishes where economic standards are low and poverty, ignorance, and filth abound. In some regions superstitions and traditions would have to be altered before improvements in sanitation could be realized.

The disorders that produced the major disasters in the past are fairly well controled. The most notorious, known as the "big five," are Asiatic cholera, smallpox, bubonic plague, yellow fever, and typhus. This does not mean that they have been completely eradicated and are gone forever; nor does it imply that some are not a menace in certain sections of the globe. It has been estimated that over one-half million of the inhabitants of India still die of plague each year.

But in the majority of countries these maladies are no longer spreading rapidly and killing in large numbers. Much of the credit for their downfall belongs to the stringent rules and regulations set up and enforced by immigration officials. So long as breeding grounds exist we must be on guard constantly as one never knows when a case will sneak in.

The possibility is not far-fetched when we consider that only slightly more than a century ago Asiatic cholera was striking right and left with terrific effect in the very heart of America—the state of Illinois. In the Black Hawk war [1832] nearly one-fourth of Gen. Winfield Scott's army became victims—many more than died in combat during the entire campaign.

There is another group of maladies which are global in aspect but not so spectacular as the big five. The list includes tuberculosis, malaria, venereal diseases, dysentery, leprosy, and the extremely contagious ailments like measles, diphtheria, and influenza. Each is an individual problem in all countries and is of concern, therefore, to health authorities everywhere. With more rapid transportation, epidemics occurring in one part of the earth may be easier to sow than ever before.

The American people have become more acquainted with a third variety of illnesses represented by tularemia, epidemic jaundice, virus pneumonia, murine and scrub typhus, Rocky mountain spotted fever, and filariasis. Some, like virus pneumonia, epidemic jaundice, and Rocky mountain spotted fever, are not new but were publicized thru our war efforts. Others were contracted by our service men while fighting in far off and strange places.

Fortunately the predictions that we would fall prey to many foreign disorders has not materialized. Our medical officers were on the alert and did everything in their power to prevent transmission to civilians. If we could do as well in combating accidents we would add immeasurably to our happiness and productive capacity.

CATSUP CAUSES SWEATING

G. S. writes: Whenever I use catsup with my meals perspiration flows freely from the bald spot on top of my head. Is this a danger signal?

REPLY

Red [catsup] signifies danger but I doubt if you should become alarmed. This reaction may represent allergy but is more likely to be due to the dilating effect of the condiment on the blood vessels.

MANY CAUSES

W. R. writes: What makes the lips peel?

REPLY

Among the causes are infection, exposure to the elements, allergy, and cancer.

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It Says Here

By BOB HOPE

I wish the telephone strike would end. Frankly, I'm getting hoarse.

The strikers have taken on Joe Schloonk, the midget, to help them. He sits in the pay phone and pushes the nickels back out.

But I'm not really too perturbed about the strike. Look at all the slugs I'm saving.

The only calls you can make now are to the police and fire department. This morning I talked to my girl for ten minutes before I realized that I was engaged to the desk sergeant of the third precinct.

I know one bookie who doesn't even feel the strike. He has pigeons that are mathematically inclined.

Of course it's pretty confusing for the operators in the picket lines. From force of habit they keep giving you the wrong picket sign. I saw one girl carrying a sign that read "Oo-la-la. Ne parlez vous pas francais?" I asked her what it meant and she said "I represent the French phone division."

It's a good thing the phone strike wasn't called two weeks ago. Then Mrs. Hush would have died of old age before anyone could have guessed who she was.

I don't know how long they expect the strike to last, but yesterday the president of the telephone company put in his application for a job as Pony Express rider.

But I'm a little worried about Don Ameche. He seems to be taking the phone strike very hard. Keeps shaking his head and repeating: "If I hadn't invented the darn thing, this never would have happened."

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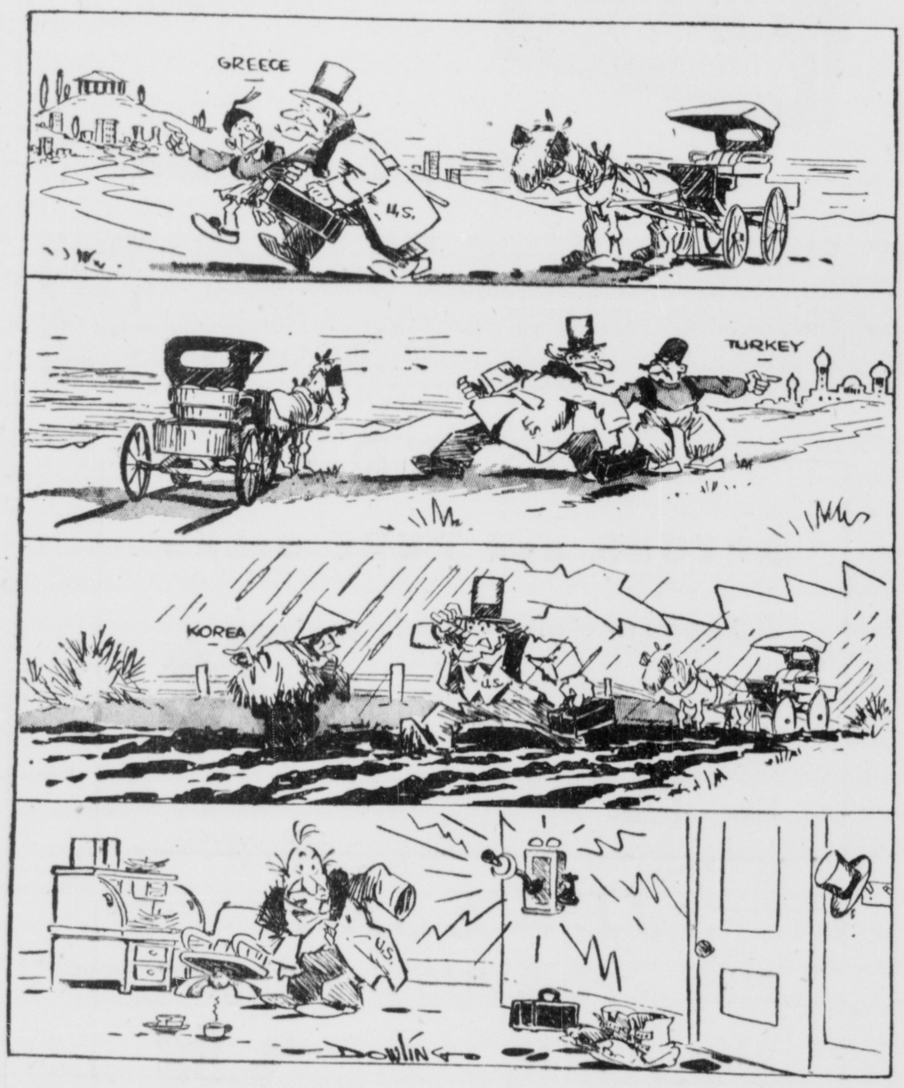

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Lewis' Influence Among Miners Slipping Before Centralia Disaster; Lewis Failed To Organize Safety Committee; Why Lewis Yells "Murder" At Krug

Says DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON, April 9—Some interesting undercurrents have been taking place inside the ranks of the United Mine Workers regarding John L. Lewis. They indicate that, for the first time in years, grousing against the big miner boss had become serious—up until the time of the Centralia accident.

The worst blow John L. Lewis ever received in all his colorful carrer was the Supreme Court decision finding him in contempt of court and taking thousands of dollars in hard-earned dues from the union treasury. The miners never did like last November's strike anyway, though they went ahead on the assumption John knew where he was taking them. So when the Supreme Court showed he didn't know, Lewis's leadership was badly shaken.

There has always been a certain amount of griping about Lewis. The men in the anthracite fields don't like him at all, have even dared him to show himself in Pennsylvania, which he has not done for a long time. In the bituminous fields, however, the miners will cuss out Lewis between strikes but swear allegiance during strikes.

Most of them take pride in the fact that John has his big limousine, a fine house in Virginia and can hold his head up with the best in Washington society. They have not been happy, however, about the long list of Lewis relatives on the miners' payroll—John L. at $25,000; brother Denny at $12,000; daughter Kathlyn at $10,000; brother-in-law R. O. Miller at $10,000; brother-in-law J. R. Bell at $10,000; brother-in-law Herbert Bell at $8,000; cousin William Thomas at $10,000; plus several others, making a grand total of $150,000 in salaries to the Lewis family—all taken from miners' dues.

To make up for all this, Lewis has to win strikes and keep on winning. That is the first rule of dictatorship, and, make no mistake about it, Lewis is a pure and simple dictator. The minutes a dictator meets his first defeat, he is a dead duck—unless something diverts public attention.

That was why the Supreme Court defeat hit Lewis so badly. That was also why there has been talk for the first time in years about Lewis turning the mine union over to popular secretary-treasurer Tom Kennedy, former Lieutenant-Governor of Pennsylvania, with John replacing Bill Green as president of the AFL.

Finally, all this is why the Centralia mine disaster played squarely into Lewis's hands, why he has staged such dramatics in front of Congressional committees to prove that Secretary of the Interior Krug was to blame for the tragic loss of 111 lives.

Victory For Miners

Only those who have sat on the inside of the mine negotiations realize it, but one reason why the owners have refused to take the mines back from the Government is section 2B of the Krug-Lewis agreement. They consider this one of the most revolutionary clauses ever inserted in any labor contract; for it gives the miners themselves power to close down a mine if they consider it unsafe. Employers say this is equivalent to permitting the workers of any factory to regulate conditions inside the plant. They point especially to the provision, "The operating manager is required to follow the recommendation of the committee." This they brand as "revolutionary."

But after winning this all-important and "revolutionary" concession from the Government, John L. Lewis did almost nothing about it. Few mine safety committees were organized. Many of the miners did not even know about this provision in their contract.

Probably this resulted from the peculiar system under which John L. Lewis operates, whereby he is a law unto himself. Less and less do other officials of the United Mine Workers know what is going on in their union. Matters of policy—even the details of carrying out that policy—are centered in the hands of one man, plus the little group of brothers and brothers-in-law who surround him. When another man challenges Lewis's authority, is in the case of Ray Edmundson, he is out. John Brophy, Van Bittner and other old-time miner executives have found that they could not exercise individual judgment and stay in the union. They are out.

Only the little group of Lewis relatives and district presidents carefully picked for subservience to John L., remain. That largely explains why the individual miners did not take advantage of—and did not even know about—the all-important provision in their contract permitting them to organize mine safety committees and close down mines if unsafe.

That also explains why the beetle-crowned miner bass has gone to such extreme lengths to point an accusing finger at Secretary Krug and bellow: "Murder!" For the man who most loudly accuses others, sometimes is most guilty himself.

Under The Dome

A strong Congressional drive has been launched for the appointment of GOP elder statesman Jim Wadsworth of New York as the new Secretary of National Defense if, and when the Army-Navy merger bill becomes law. Wadsworth is 69 years old. He has indicated to friends that he is interested. . . . Frank Sinatra is flying to New York to accept "a miniature Jefferson" at a Jefferson birthday dinner of the council against intolerance. It will be given in recognition of Sinatra's promotion of democracy among the youth of America. . . . One steel company isn't waiting for orders from anybody before cutting prices. The Pennsylvania Flexible Metallic Tubing Company of Philadelphia is making a 41 per cent cut. . . . The State Department will begin broadcasts to Greece and Turkey in the next two weeks to try to spread the gospel of friendship.

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Government Held To Blame For Most Over-Priced Commodities

By MARK SULLIVAN

A score of outgivings about prices—the excessive height of them and the evil and danger of them—came last week from many sources. One was from President Truman, several from business leaders.

The statement of one business leader had the status of a public event. The head of a great department store in New York, Mr. J. I. Straus of R. H. Macy and Company, published a full-page advertisement in newspapers. To give it the momentum it deserved and received as a matter of public interest, he called a press conference. What he said was sound and needed to be said. The spirit and content of the advertisement is suggested by two of the headings in it: "Are Prices Too High? Yes They Are." And "Why Prices Must Come Down." This was not said as a prophecy but as meaning that lower prices are an economic necessity, almost a moral one.

Mr. Straus dwelt at length and thoughtfully on the factors involved in high prices or affected by them—cost of living, wages, profits, the interest of consumers. He urged upon business that increases in industrial efficiency should be turned "into lower prices rather than into additional profits." He said "the only way we know to retain prosperity . . . is by producing more units at lower prices." He declared that some goods are "much over-priced."

Foodstuffs Are Omitted

But in the several hundred words in Mr. Straus' statement, one word was missing. Nowhere was the word "foodstuffs" or its equivalent "farm products." Yet about farm products, foodstuffs, these statements can be made:

Of all prices of all goods the most over-priced, the ones most out of line with other goods and with the past, are farm products, foodstuffs.

Of all prices of all goods the ones that contribute most of the high cost of living are farm products and foodstuffs. For of all expenditures that Americans make the largest proportion is for foodstuffs, they are 40 per cent of the cost of living.

Of all prices of all goods the ones that work strongest for inflation are the prices of foodstuffs. For the prices of foodstuffs, because they bulk so large in the cost of living, do most to cause complaint on the part of workers, hence do most to cause demands for higher wages.

If the spiral of inflation is to be broken, the point of attack that is at once most vulnerable and most effective is prices of foodstuffs. So far as the vicious circle can be stated as a sequence, it begins with prices of foodstuffs, which cause high cost of living, which leads to demand for higher wages, which leads to higher prices of manufactured goods, which in turn contributes to still higher cost of living.

Among last week's important outgivings about high prices, one was by President Truman. It was true and it was forceful. He spoke of his "deep concern over the level of prices prevailing today." Warningly he said "These prices must be brought down." To do this and prevent inflation he said "there is a profound moral responsibility."

So far as Mr. Truman alluded to the fields in which high prices are too high, he merely spoke in a generality about "unnecessarily high prices for many commodities and for many manufactured articles." Many manufactured articles are too high, and these are the most frequent object of justified attack. But Mr. Truman made no allusion to prices of farm products and foodstuffs, except as these might be implied in his use of the word "commodities."

Government Must Accept Blame

That Mr. Truman made no specific allusion to foodstuffs and farm products may not be due to any political self-consciousness about the relation of government to prices of farm products. In any event this can be said:

The principal cause of high prices of farm products is government. Government works directly, with conscious and specific purpose, to prevent prices of farm products from going lower. It is done for many crops and under policies of government written into statutes.

What government did last year about one crop, potatoes, is an illustration. The crop was large, the price was certain to fall. To keep the price up, government bought vast quantities of potatoes. Some it sold at a loss for use in manufacturing alcohol and other products. Some it gave away. Some it left in the ground to rot. All told, about 20 million bushels went to waste completely. The total loss to the government was 80 million dollars.

Tax Laws Barrier To Urge To Follow In Footsteps Of Ford

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, April 9 — The passing of Henry Ford symbolizes the passing of an era—the time when a man could build a business through his own initiative and a little capital borrowed from friends and wind up a rich man.

This cannot be done any more. If, as is popularly believed, Henry Ford accumulated a personal estate of many millions of dollars because he was the first to make and market a low-priced automobile, no such amount can ever be earned again by any individual—unless present tax laws revert to what they were twenty years ago. This, of course, seems very unlikely.

The theory that a man who works hard and conducts an honest business can accumulate a million dollars out of personal earnings is fallacious. He may build a business and sell it and make money that way but he cannot build an estate either out of his salary or the dividends of his stock and keep his business. He may bequeath it but inheritance taxes are heavy, too.

Little Of Income Can Be Retained

In 1929 a man could retain about 85 per cent of his annual income if he earned $100,000 or he could keep 76 per cent if he earned $1,000,000 a year, so that in five to ten years he might save several million dollars. But today he can retain only about 38 per cent or $38,000 out of a $100,000 income and it would take nearly 30 years to accumulate $1,000,000 if he didn't spend any of his income for living and had his home and living expenses paid for by some other member of his family, which, of course, isn't the usual situation. If he lives on $8,000 a year, therefore, and saves $30,000 a year, it would take at least 30 years to accumulate $1,000,000.

If a man could invent some idea or develop some business that would give him an income of $1,000,000 a year, he would retain under present tax laws only about 16 per cent or approximately $160,000 a year. If he spent only $10,000 a year for living expenses, it would take him six or seven years to accumulate $1,000,000.

Success Now Penalized

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THESE DAYS

By George E. Sokolsky

A MATTER OF PROPORTION

AN editor, a good friend of mine was critical of reporters, particularly columnists, because they write so much about foreign affairs, especially about Russia. He said that we constantly play the same tune on the same old fiddle. And yet, Mr. Truman, in his Jefferson Day Speech, although he discussed some domestic matters, came back to the complex of problems, the core of which is: Shall we in this generation be forced again to go to war? Shall our domestic economy be oriented by the electric eye of fear of war?

Of course, anyone would prefer to lighten his tasks by devoting himself to the joys of erotic murder or to the scorching of a corrupt politician or to a continuing vendetta with individuals whose personal conduct stirs wrath in the righteous soul. But these are luxuries of peacetime journalism. There are a thousand Daddy Brownings and Tommy Manvilles but they are no longer funny.

Maybe it would be better for us if we did laugh more at others and even at ourselves. But we are still suffering the shock of 60,000,000 casualties in a war that served no purpose and cannot be brought to a peace. Our economy is still out of joint after expending $341,000,000,000 in this war and running up a national debt of $259,000,000,000, and paying taxes on a scale that makes thrift not only difficult but even unwarranted.

Had we between 1933 and 1937 devoted as much thought to the problems of Central Europe as we now are to the menace of Russian imperialism, we might have found a formula for averting a war that has cost the world so much in human life and wealth. On May 18, 1934 Franklin D. Roosevelt said:

". . .The peoples of many countries are being taxed to the point of poverty and starvation in order to enable Governments to engage in a mad race in armament which, if permitted to continue, may well result in war. . . ."

He attributed this condition to the manufacture of arms, but most of them were even then servants of their governments which were already preparing for war. The people, inadequately informed, did not then grasp the fact that an imperialistic conspiracy was afoot which would in a decade, bring humanity to its present degraded condition.

The journalist who now harps on this subject is performing a public service, for he keeps before his readers, who desire peace, the continuing menace of war. We do not wish to lose more of our sons because it is pleasanter to discuss Luciano than the Moscow Conference, easier to fluff about the complexions of movie starlets than to detail the intricacies of the conquest of Europe by Communism.

If we are to avoid the next war, we must understand and appraise correctly the forces that are at work to bring on the next war, and while men may differ broadly, the discussion is of itself wholly beneficial.

The most startling result of the last war was the rise of Communist or partial-Communist governments in Europe from the Arctic to the Mediterranean, from the Bug River to the English Channel. Communism, which used to be regarded as a Soap Box devilment in the United States, has become a movement of power and respectability in Europe.

For 10 years, the small American Communist party made stupendous gains in this country. Through a number of "Front Organizations," by an alliance with the party in power, by infiltration into the government, labor unions and associations of the people, the American Communists have paved the way for a still greater role. Most of the country is now awakening to the dangers of this international conspiracy.

This problem cannot be ignored, for it is too active in our affairs. The student of the European revolution is bound to note correlations in the United States, particularly in the use of mass pressures which are easily organized when not resisted. Those who fail to report the facts or the background of these trends obviously are missing the greatest story of our day. After all, a fire may burn down one house but Communism can destroy civilization. It is a matter of a sense of proportion.

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Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

Mental Malnutrition

So much is being written these days about malnutrition of the body—not the right balance of food—too little of the essential. Mothers, doctors, and expert dietitians keep telling us about what is to be done. Some schools even teach correct eating to students, or give good advice to parents of students.

But how about mental malnutrition? How about a "balanced diet" there? Is there anything quite so important to a healthy body as a healthy mind that continually gets the right proportion of useful and nourishing ideas? Knowledge of the world, its problems, of people, of Nature, and of one's self—how important all this!

Note the idle and uncaring, the adolescent delinquent, and the hardened criminal. He is the worse for this mental malnutrition. And no place on earth so fitted to correct all this—early—than in the home. And this instruction should be carried to every school and college in the land, as well.

Not only is it essential to select solid, substantial intellectual food for the mind, but it must be properly masticated and digested. All knowledge should serve a purpose, else it might just as well never have been given. I studied Latin for seven years and at one time I thought it a waste of time, but now I know it was an investment. Scores of words in this brief talk are of Latin derivation! Latin is almost the beefsteak of word diet. And great books, like the Bible and Shakespeare, are the bread and butter of our intellectual meals.

But we all need a varied diet for the right nourishment of the mind, and as extras, like side dishes, we have poetry, drama, history, detective stories, philosophy, and great living novels, though many of these may be looked upon as a full-fledged entree! For intellectual dessert I would suggest a good measure of humor. The apple-pie humor of a Mark Twain, or the chocolate-cake humor of a Bill Nye. You can sink a tooth easily into either, and feel like a new-born king!

And here is a point—you don't have to worry about calories in the nourishment of the mind. You can add as much intellectual weight as you please, and people will love you for it, and rather about you—often in wondrous admiration!

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County Commissioners Find Tax Rate Cut Impossible

In reviewing the fate of revenue-raising bills offered in the Maryland General Assembly which would have, if one or more of them had passed, brought tax relief to the people of Allegany County, we probably took too much for granted from the prediction made by Delegate Whitworth, at the close of the recent session, that State revenue would make possible lowering of the tax rate.

It now has been discovered the bills providing financial aid by the State to the counties will not be available to apply to this year's operation costs of county government and services. Because of this, Delegate Whitworth now has explained to the County Commissioners that county taxpayers can expect no relief on this year's taxes, so far as these laws are concerned. Delegate Whitworth had estimated that probably as much as 25 cents reduction from the present rate would be possible. Instead, it now appears certain that the tax rate will have to be increased because bills which would have permitted the county to tap new sources of revenue were either withdrawn in face of uncertainties, amended too late to permit passage, or deleted to permit a referendum on the state sales tax, as was the case in one instance.

But it goes without saying, the people of the county will be somewhat disappointed over the inability of the County Commissioners, under the circumstances, to make possible the one thing, above all others, they would like to do—lower the tax rate. Most of the taxpayers, no doubt, will realize that in hoping for a tax reduction they were perhaps expecting too much in the face of the rising costs of governments. They will not lose sight of the fact, however, that had not the bills providing extra revenue through new taxation taken such a kicking around in the General Assembly the tax rate, if it could not have been reduced, probably could have been held at its present level.

Support Of Cancer Control Campaign Should Be Generous

Finding a cure for cancer is a problem more complex than the development of the atomic bomb. Yet here is an unconquered enemy more insidious in its infiltration and more destructive of life than ever threatened the American nation through military power.

Cancer took twice as many lives of Americans as were taken by the Germans and Japanese between Pearl Harbor and V-J Day. Cancer is killing more than 18 Americans every hour. The key to the mystery of life and growth—and to detecting the point at which growth goes astray, producing cancer—has not been found, as was the cyclotron which was the open sesame to atomic energy.

But, through the continuing efforts of the American Cancer Society, financed by public contributions, a beachhead in this battle at least has been established. Judicious distribution of research funds so that scientists can tackle the cancer problem simultaneously in laboratories throughout the United States has increased the chances that one day one of them will turn up the crucial fact pointing to a solution.

For this work, for national preventive educational efforts and for actual case treatment, $12,000,000 is needed in 1947. April has been designated "Cancer Control Month" and the campaign for these funds is underway. The people of Cumberland and Allegany County have been called upon to help raise the amount asked. Advised of the facts and in the knowledge that no effort that is "too little and too late" will be able to carry the day against so grim a foe, it is not too much to expect that every person in this and other county communities will do his or her part in swelling the fund.

Last of the Titans Of U. S. Industrial Revolution

In the death of Henry Ford, last of the titans of America's industrial revolution of the early twentieth century, has passed the man who did more than any other who ever lived to change the civilization of his time. Edison, Rockefeller, Carnegie, Firestone, Schwab all left their impress, and in each case it was formidable. Edison in particular wrought mightily for mankind.

But it was Ford who was largely responsible for the rapid strides made by the automobile, and the transportation evolution of the last half century undoubtedly did more to speed progress than can be attributed to any other advancement.

Henry Ford succeeded because he had unbounded vision and daring—and because he operated in an era of free enterprise such as the nation does not enjoy now. He started poor and died the nation's wealthiest man. When he made money, he reinvested it in his business, provided employment for additional thousands of workers, and brought the prices of automobiles to unbelievably low levels. In 1926 a Ford roadster sold for $260.

Ford's was a form of industrial genius that is unknown today because changed conditions put an effective curb on it. He belonged to times in which the nation forged ahead rapidly because people worked with their brains and hands as did those of no other country.

Ford took the lead in mechanizing the nation and his success was the inspiration of great achievements by dozens of other men who accepted the challenge of his pioneering spirit. When $2 a day or less, was the average wage in factories, he boldly announced a minimum wage of $5 a day, and 10 years later the prices of his cars had been cut more than 50 per cent.

The nation, which will never see his like again, owes much to Henry Ford.

Incident Averted

A dispatch from Eshowe, Zululand, brings word that the Zulu name for King George VI of England is "The Royal Black Elephant." The choice of color in that title is probably a happier one than the Zulus realize, and it may have prevented another bit of trouble in this troubled old world. For think what might have happened, in this day when empires are tottering and monarchs are ever more expendable, if the Zulus had dubbed their recent kingly visitor "The Royal White Elephant."

HOW TO KEEP WELL

By Dr. Theodore R. Van Dellen

To the limit of space, questions pertaining to the prevention of disease will be answered. Personal replies will be made, under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is inclosed. Dr. Van Dellen will not make diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases.

GLOBAL DISEASE

THE statement "No sickly people can be great people" is well illustrated by many of the nations today. To make them healthy would require more than medical aid as disease flourishes where economic standards are low and poverty, ignorance, and filth abound. In some regions superstitions and traditions would have to be altered before improvements in sanitation could be realized.

The disorders that produced the major disasters in the past are fairly well controled. The most notorious, known as the "big five," are Asiatic cholera, smallpox, bubonic plague, yellow fever, and typhus. This does not mean that they have been completely eradicated and are gone forever; nor does it imply that some are not a menace in certain sections of the globe. It has been estimated that over one-half million of the inhabitants of India still die of plague each year.

But in the majority of countries these maladies are no longer spreading rapidly and killing in large numbers. Much of the credit for their downfall belongs to the stringent rules and regulations set up and enforced by immigration officials. So long as breeding grounds exist we must be on guard constantly as one never knows when a case will sneak in.

The possibility is not far-fetched when we consider that only slightly more than a century ago Asiatic cholera was striking right and left with terrific effect in the very heart of America—the state of Illinois. In the Black Hawk war (1832) nearly one-fourth of Gen. Winfield Scott's army became victims—many more than died in combat during the entire campaign.

There is another group of maladies which are global in aspect but not so spectacular as the big five. The list includes tuberculosis, malaria, venereal diseases, dysentery, leprosy, and the extremely contagious ailments like measles, diphtheria, and influenza. Each is an individual problem in all countries and is of concern, therefore, to health authorities everywhere. With more rapid transportation, epidemics occurring in one part of the earth may be easier to sow than ever before.

The American people have become more acquainted with a third variety of illnesses represented by tularemia, epidemic jaundice, virus pneumonia, murine and scrub typhus, Rocky mountain spotted fever, and filariasis. Some, like virus pneumonia, epidemic jaundice, and Rocky mountain spotted fever, are not new but were publicized thru our war efforts. Others were contracted by our service men while fighting in far off and strange places.

Fortunately the predictions that we would fall prey to many foreign disorders has not materialized. Our medical officers were on the alert and did everything in their power to prevent transmission to civilians. If we could do as well in combating accidents we would add immeasurably to our happiness and productive capacity.

CATSUP CAUSES SWEATING

G. S. writes: Whenever I use catsup with my meals perspiration flows freely from the bald spot on top of my head. Is this a danger signal?

REPLY

Red [catsup] signifies danger but I doubt if you should become alarmed. This reaction may represent allergy but is more likely to be due to the dilating effect of the condiment on the blood vessels.

MANY CAUSES

W. R. writes: What makes the lips peel?

REPLY

Among the causes are infection, exposure to the elements, allergy, and cancer.

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It Says Here

By Bob Hope

I wish the telephone strike would end. Frankly, I'm getting hoarse.

The strikers have taken on Joe Schloonk, the midget, to help them. He sits in the pay phone and pushes the nickels back out.

But I'm not really too perturbed about the strike. Look at all the slugs I'm saving.

The only calls you can make now are to the police and fire department. This morning I talked to my girl for ten minutes before I realized that I was engaged to the desk sergeant of the third precinct.

I know one bookie who doesn't even feel the strike. He has pigeons that are mathematically inclined.

Of course it's pretty confusing for the operators in the picket lines. From force of habit they keep giving you the wrong picket sign. I saw one girl carrying a sign that read "Oo-la-la. Ne parlez vous pas francais?" I asked her what it meant and she said "I represent the French phone division."

It's a good thing the phone strike wasn't called two weeks ago. Then Mrs. Hush would have died of old age before anyone could have guessed who she was.

I don't know how long they expect the strike to last, but yesterday the president of the telephone company put in his application for a job as Pony Express rider.

But I'm a little worried about Don Ameche. He seems to be taking the phone strike very hard. Keeps shaking his head and repeating: "If I hadn't invented the darn thing, this never would have happened."

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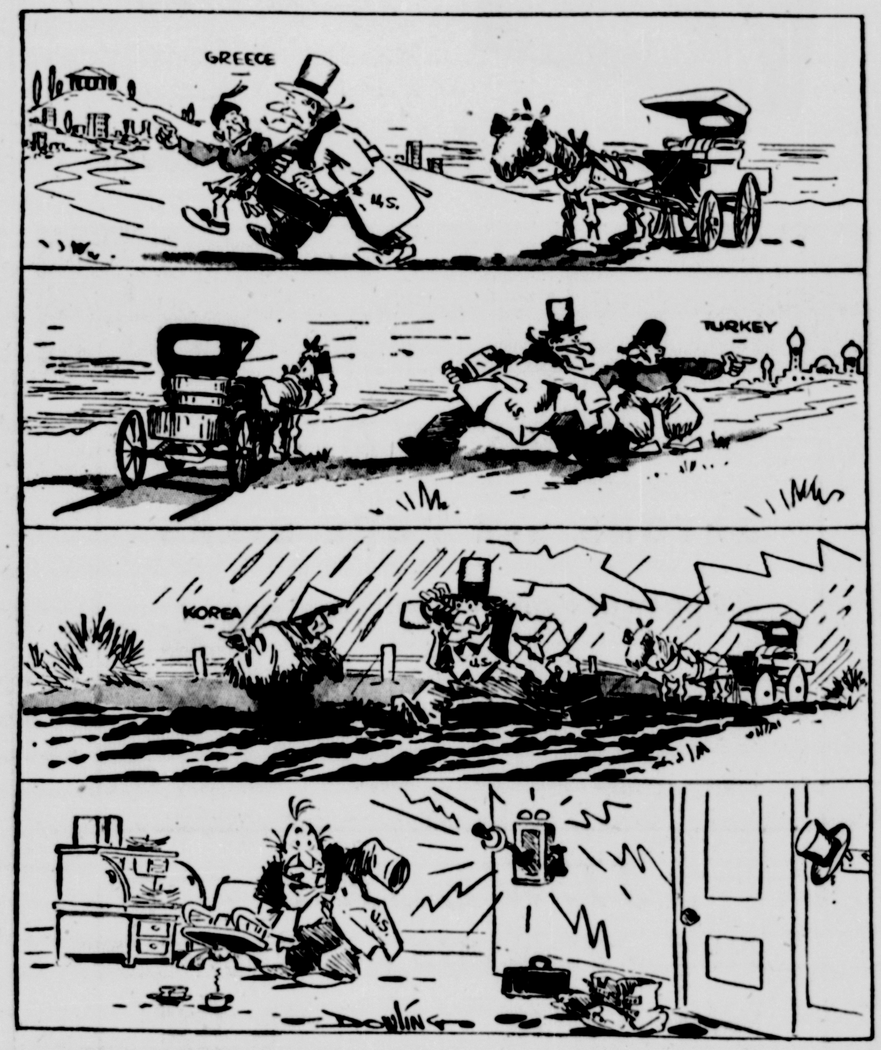

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Lewis' Influence Among Miners Slipping Before Centralia Disaster; Lewis Failed To Organize Safety Committee; Why Lewis Yells "Murder" At Krug

Says DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON, April 9—Some interesting undercurrents have been taking place inside the ranks of the United Mine Workers regarding John L. Lewis. They indicate that, for the first time in years, grousing against the big miner boss had become serious—up until the time of the Centralia accident.

The worst blow John L. Lewis ever received in all his colorful career was the Supreme Court decision finding him in contempt of court and taking thousands of dollars in hard-earned dues from the union treasury. The miners never did like last November's strike anyway, though they went ahead on the assumption John knew where he was taking them. So when the Supreme Court showed he didn't know, Lewis's leadership was badly shaken.

There has always been a certain amount of griping about Lewis. The men in the anthracite fields don't like him at all, have even dared him to show himself in Pennsylvania, which he has not done for a long time. In the bituminous fields, however, the miners will cuss out Lewis between strikes but swear allegiance during strikes.

Most of them take pride in the fact that John has his big limousine, a fine house in Virginia and can hold his head up with the best in Washington society. They have not been happy, however, about the long list of Lewis relatives on the miners' payroll—John L. at $25,000; brother Denny at $12,000; daughter Kathlyn at $10,000; brother-in-law R. O. Miller at $10,000; brother-in-law J. R. Bell at $10,000; brother-in-law Herbert Bell at $8,000; cousin William Thomas at $10,000; plus several others, making a grand total of $150,000 in salaries to the Lewis family—all taken from miners' dues.

To make up for all this, Lewis has to win strikes and keep on winning. That is the first rule of dictatorship, and, make no mistake about it, Lewis is a pure and simple dictator. The minutes a dictator meets his first defeat, he is a dead duck—unless something diverts public attention.

That was why the Supreme Court defeat hit Lewis so badly. That was also why there has been talk for the first time in years about Lewis turning the mine union over to popular secretary-treasurer Tom Kennedy, former Lieutenant-Governor of Pennsylvania, with John replacing Bill Green as president of the AFL.

Finally, all this is why the Centralia mine disaster played squarely into Lewis's hands, why he has staged such dramatics in front of Congressional committees to prove that Secretary of the Interior Krug was to blame for the tragic loss of 111 lives.

Victory For Miners

Only those who have sat on the inside of the mine negotiations realize it, but one reason why the owners have refused to take the mines back from the Government is section 2B of the Krug-Lewis agreement. They consider this one of the most revolutionary clauses ever inserted in any labor contract; for it gives the miners themselves power to close down a mine if they consider it unsafe. Employers say this is equivalent to permitting the workers of any factory to regulate conditions inside the plant. They point especially to the provision, "The operating manager is required to follow the recommendation of the committee." This they brand as "revolutionary."

But after winning this all-important and "revolutionary" concession from the Government, John L. Lewis did almost nothing about it. Few mine safety committees were organized. Many of the miners did not even know about this provision in their contract.

Probably this resulted from the peculiar system under which John L. Lewis operates, whereby he is a law unto himself. Less and less do other officials of the United Mine Workers know what is going on in their union. Matters of policy—even the details of carrying out that policy—are centered in the hands of one man, plus the little group of brothers and brothers-in-law who surround him. When another man challenges Lewis's authority, is in the case of Ray Edmundson, he is out. John Brophy, Van Bittner and other old-time miner executives have found that they could not exercise individual judgment and stay in the union. They are out.

Only the little group of Lewis relatives and district presidents carefully picked for subservience to John L., remain. That largely explains why the individual miners did not take advantage of—and did not even know about—the all-important provision in their contract permitting them to organize mine safety committees and close down mines if unsafe.

That also explains why the beetle-crowned miner bass has gone to such extreme lengths to point an accusing finger at Secretary Krug and bellow: "Murder!" For the man who most loudly accuses others, sometimes is most guilty himself.

Under The Dome

A strong Congressional drive has been launched for the appointment of GOP elder statesman Jim Wadsworth of New York as the new Secretary of National Defense if, and when the Army-Navy merger bill becomes law. Wadsworth is 69 years old. He has indicated to friends that he is interested. . . . Frank Sinatra is flying to New York to accept "a miniature Jefferson" at a Jefferson birthday dinner of the council against intolerance. It will be given in recognition of Sinatra's promotion of democracy among the youth of America. . . . One steel company isn't waiting for orders from anybody before cutting prices. The Pennsylvania Flexible Metallic Tubing Company of Philadelphia is making a 41 per cent cut. . . . The State Department will begin broadcasts to Greece and Turkey in the next two weeks to try to spread the gospel of friendship.

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Government Held To Blame For Most Over-Priced Commodities

By MARK SULLIVAN

A score of outgivings about prices—the excessive height of them and the evil and danger of them—came last week from many sources. One was from President Truman, several from business leaders.

The statement of one business leader had the status of a public event. The head of a great department store in New York, Mr. J. I. Straus of R. H. Macy and Company, published a full-page advertisement in newspapers. To give it the momentum it deserved and received as a matter of public interest, he called a press conference. What he said was sound and needed to be said. The spirit and content of the advertisement is suggested by two of the headings in it: "Are Prices Too High? Yes They Are." And "Why Prices Must Come Down." This was not said as a prophecy but as meaning that lower prices are an economic necessity, almost a moral one.

Mr. Straus dwelt at length and thoughtfully on the factors involved in high prices or affected by them—cost of living, wages, profits, the interest of consumers. He urged upon business that increases in industrial efficiency should be turned "into lower prices rather than into additional profits." He said "the only way we know to retain prosperity . . . is by producing more units at lower prices." He declared that some goods are "much over-priced."

Foodstuffs Are Omitted

But in the several hundred words in Mr. Straus' statement, one word was missing. Nowhere was the word "foodstuffs" or its equivalent "farm products." Yet about farm products, foodstuffs, these statements can be made:

Of all prices of all goods the most over-priced, the ones most out of line with other goods and with the past, are farm products, foodstuffs.

Of all prices of all goods the ones that contribute most of the high cost of living are farm products and foodstuffs. For of all expenditures that Americans make the largest proportion is for foodstuffs, they are 40 per cent of the cost of living.

Of all prices of all goods the ones that work strongest for inflation are the prices of foodstuffs. For the prices of foodstuffs, because they bulk so large in the cost of living, do most to cause complaint on the part of workers, hence do most to cause demands for higher wages.

If the spiral of inflation is to be broken, the point of attack that is at once most vulnerable and most effective is prices of foodstuffs. So far as the vicious circle can be stated as a sequence, it begins with prices of foodstuffs, which cause high cost of living, which leads to demand for higher wages, which leads to higher prices of manufactured goods, which in turn contributes to still higher cost of living.

Among last week's important outgivings about high prices, one was by President Truman. It was true and it was forceful. He spoke of his "deep concern over the level of prices prevailing today." Warningly he said "These prices must be brought down." To do this and prevent inflation he said "there is a profound moral responsibility."

So far as Mr. Truman alluded to the fields in which high prices are too high, he merely spoke in a generality about "unnecessarily high prices for many commodities and for many manufactured articles." Many manufactured articles are too high, and these are the most frequent object of justified attack. But Mr. Truman made no allusion to prices of farm products and foodstuffs, except as these might be implied in his use of the word "commodities."

Government Must Accept Blame

That Mr. Truman made no specific allusion to foodstuffs and farm products may not be due to any political self-consciousness about the relation of government to prices of farm products. In any event this can be said:

The principal cause of high prices of farm products is government. Government works directly, with conscious and specific purpose, to prevent prices of farm products from going lower. It is done for many crops and under policies of government written into statutes.

What government did last year about one crop, potatoes, is an illustration. The crop was large, the price was certain to fall. To keep the price up, government bought vast quantities of potatoes. Some it sold at a loss for use in manufacturing alcohol and other products. Some it gave away. Some it left in the ground to rot. All told, about 20 million bushels went to waste completely. The total loss to the government was 80 million dollars.

Tax Laws Barrier To Urge To Follow In Footsteps Of Ford

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, April 9 — The passing of Henry Ford symbolizes the passing of an era—the time when a man could build a business through his own initiative and a little capital borrowed from friends and wind up a rich man.

This cannot be done any more. If, as is popularly believed, Henry Ford accumulated a personal estate of many millions of dollars because he was the first to make and market a low-priced automobile, no such amount can ever be earned again by any individual—unless present tax laws revert to what they were twenty years ago. This, of course, seems very unlikely.

The theory that a man who works hard and conducts an honest business can accumulate a million dollars out of personal earnings is fallacious. He may build a business and sell it and make money that way but he cannot build an estate either out of his salary or the dividends of his stock and keep his business. He may bequeath it but inheritance taxes are heavy, too.

Little Of Income Can Be Retained

In 1929 a man could retain about 85 per cent of his annual income if he earned $100,000 or he could keep 76 per cent if he earned $1,000,000 a year, so that in five to ten years he might save several million dollars. But today he can retain only about 38 per cent or $38,000 out of a $100,000 income and it would take nearly 30 years to accumulate $1,000,000 if he didn't spend any of his income for living and had his home and living expenses paid for by some other member of his family, which, of course, isn't the usual situation. If he lives on $8,000 a year, therefore, and saves $30,000 a year, it would take at least 30 years to accumulate $1,000,000.

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AN editor, a good friend of mine was critical of reporters, particularly columnists, because they write so much about foreign affairs, especially about Russia. He said that we constantly play the same tune on the same old fiddle. And yet, Mr. Truman, in his Jefferson Day Speech, although he discussed some domestic matters, came back to the complex of problems, the core of which is: Shall we in this generation be forced again to go to war? Shall our domestic economy be oriented by the electric eye of fear of war?

Of course, anyone would prefer to lighten his tasks by devoting himself to the joys of erotic murder or to the scorching of a corrupt politician or to a continuing vendetta with individuals whose personal conduct stirs wrath in the righteous soul. But these are luxuries of peacetime journalism. There are a thousand Daddy Brownings and Tommy Manvilles but they are no longer funny.

Maybe it would be better for us if we did laugh more at others and even at ourselves. But we are still suffering the shock of 60,000,000 casualties in a war that served no purpose and cannot be brought to a peace. Our economy is still out of joint after expending $341,000,000,000 in this war and running up a national debt of $259,000,000,000, and paying taxes on a scale that makes thrift not only difficult but even unwarranted.

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He attributed this condition to the manufacture of arms, but most of them were even then servants of their governments which were already preparing for war. The people, inadequately informed, did not then grasp the fact that an imperialistic conspiracy was afoot which would in a decade, bring humanity to its present degraded condition.

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Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

Mental Malnutrition

So much is being written these days about malnutrition of the body—not the right balance of food—too little of the essential. Mothers, doctors, and expert dietitians keep telling us about what is to be done. Some schools even teach correct eating to students, or give good advice to parents of students.

But how about mental malnutrition? How about a "balanced diet" there? Is there anything quite so important to a healthy body as a healthy mind that continually gets the right proportion of useful and nourishing ideas? Knowledge of the world, its problems, of people, of Nature, and of one's self—how important all this!

Note the idle and uncaring, the adolescent delinquent, and the hardened criminal. He is the worse for this mental malnutrition. And no place on earth so fitted to correct all this—early—than in the home. And this instruction should be carried to every school and college in the land, as well.

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And here is a point—you don't have to worry about calories in the nourishment of the mind. You can add as much intellectual weight as you please, and people will love you for it, and rather about you—often in wondrous admiration!

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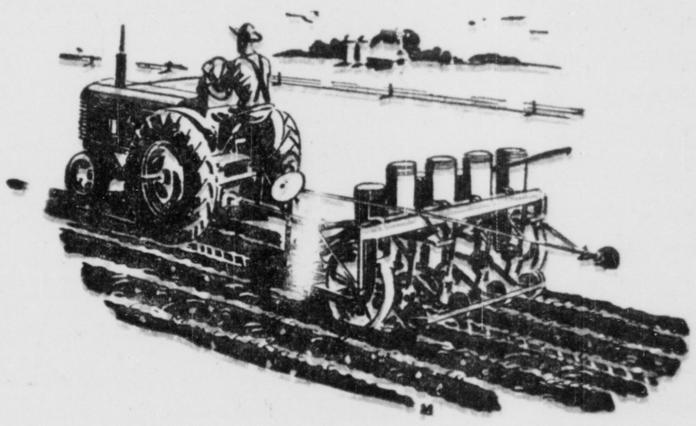

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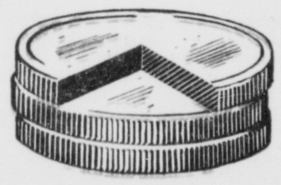

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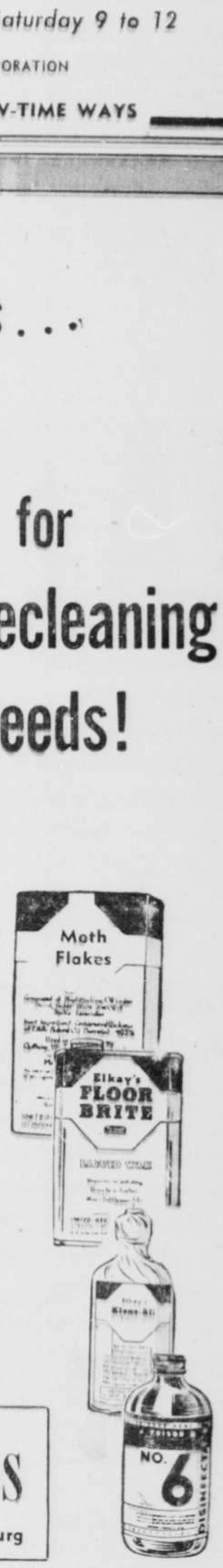

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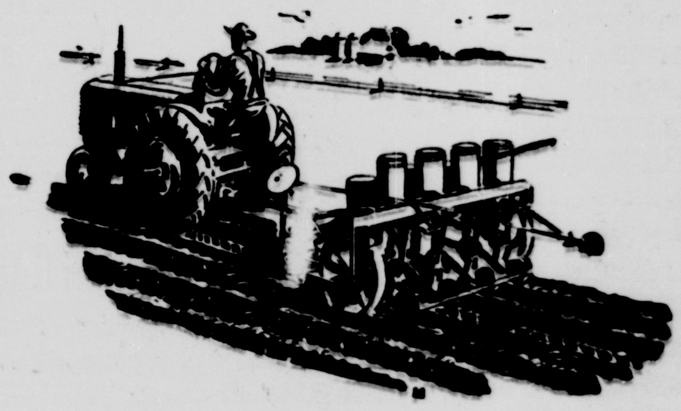

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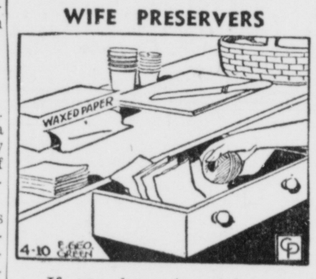

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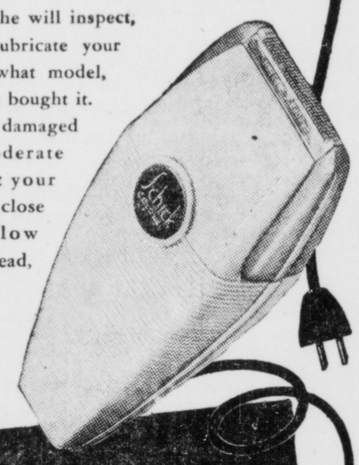

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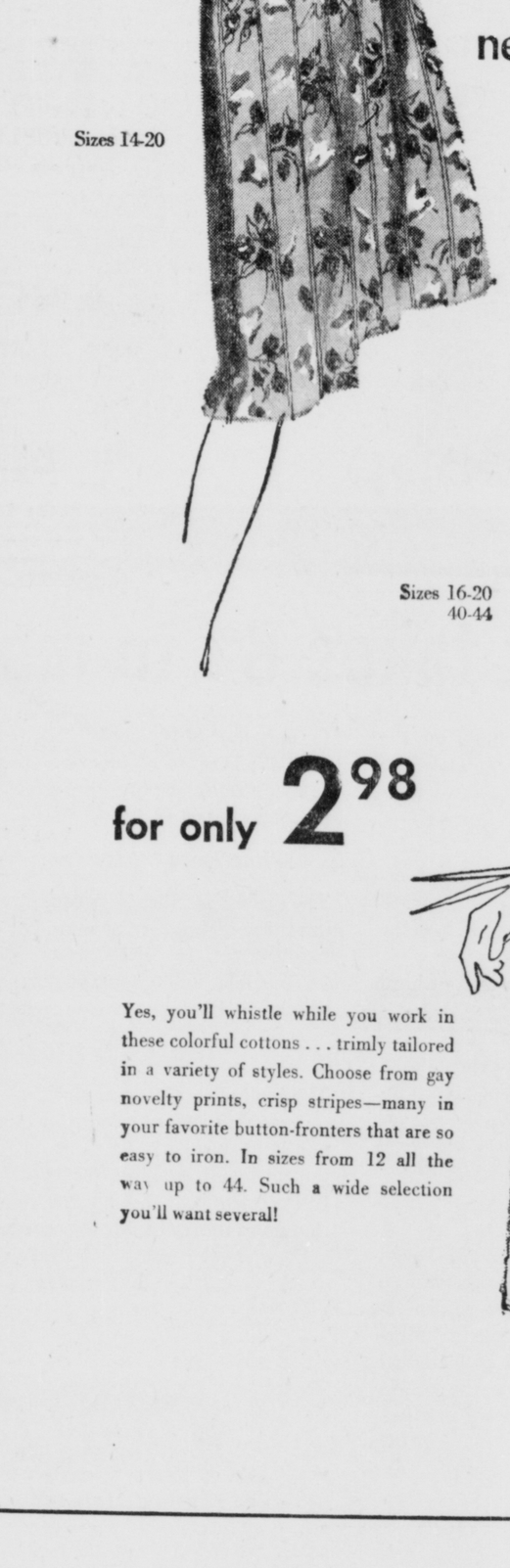

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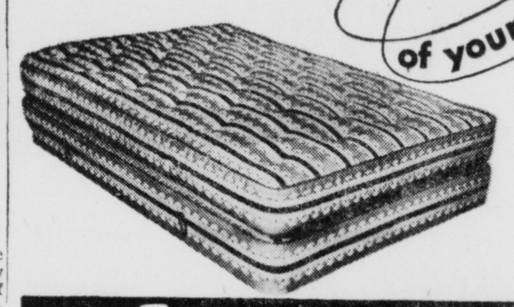

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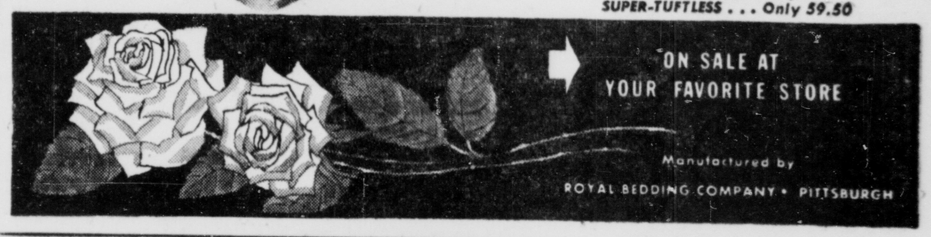

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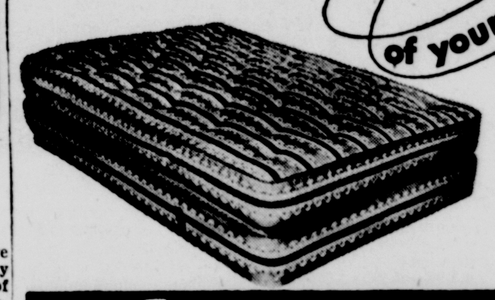

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By MRS. EVA B. BEACHY

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Plan Church School

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Brief Mention

Mars Hill Homemaker's Club will hold its regular meeting Wednesday at the home of Miss Kate Beachy.

Lee Ashby and children, Nordeck Schaffer, Crellin, Mrs. Bessie Fraley, Gormania, W. Va., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ashby and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mickey.

Mrs. Robert Griffith and infant daughter, Barbara Jean, have returned home from Hazel McGilvery Hospital, Meyersdale, Pa.

Paul Livengood arrived and visited his mother, who has been a surgical patient in Memorial Hospital Cumberland the past 18 days. He returned to his home accompanied by his wife and children and Mrs. Frances Taylor, Sunday.

Charles C. and Thomas O. Bender, students at the University of Maryland, and William Bender, Penn Commercial College, Washington, Pa., spent the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bender.

John Hetrick, Cove, Garrett County, is a surgical patient in Memorial Hospital, Cumberland.

Mrs. O. J. Glotfelty is recuperating at her home after a surgical operation in Memorial Hospital.

First Lt. Norman Patton, Greenville, S. C., spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Patton.

Clyde Bender, Silver Springs, spent the Easter holidays with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Landis.

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Miss Elizabeth Jane Beachy has returned to Silver Springs after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Beachy.

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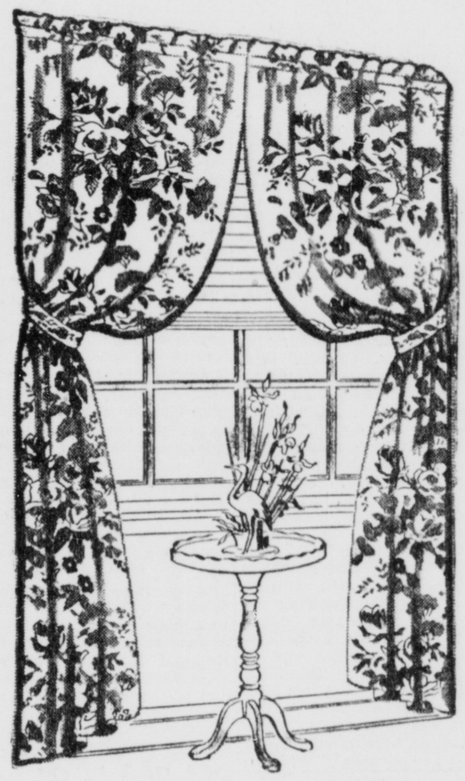

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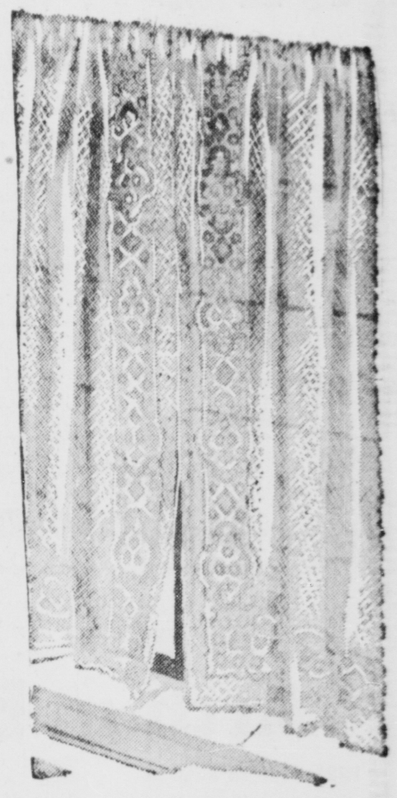

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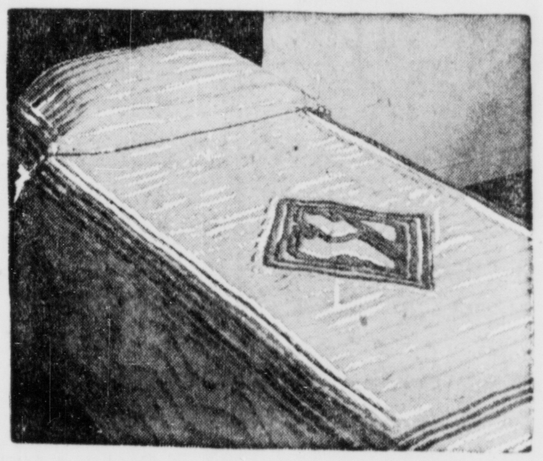

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Band Boosters Club Will Meet In Grantsville

By MRS. EVA B. BEACHY

GRANTSVILLE, April 9—The regular meeting of the Band Boosters Club will be held Friday at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium. The guest speaker will be Joseph Derry, supervisor of music of Central High School, who will discuss "Music and the Basic Objectives of Education."

Plan Church School

Rev. D. J. Combs announces the Co-Operative Christain Worker's School sponsored by the Methodist Church will be held April 30 to May 2. The school will be open to all denominations and courses will be offered in the field of christian stewardship and the educational work of the church.

Brief Mention

Mars Hill Homemaker's Club will hold its regular meeting Wednesday at the home of Miss Kate Beachy.

Lee Ashby and children, Nordeck Schaffer, Crellin, Mrs. Bessie Fraley, Gormania, W. Va., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ashby and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mickey.

Mrs. Robert Griffith and infant daughter, Barbara Jean, have returned home from Hazel McGilvery Hospital, Meyersdale, Pa.

Paul Livengood arrived and visited his mother, who has been a surgical patient in Memorial Hospital Cumberland the past 18 days. He returned to his home accompanied by his wife and children and Mrs. Frances Taylor, Sunday.

Charles C. and Thomas O. Bender, students at the University of Maryland, and William Bender, Penn Commercial College, Washington, Pa., spent the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bender.

John Hetrick, Cove, Garrett County, is a surgical patient in Memorial Hospital, Cumberland.

Mrs. O. J. Glotfelty is recuperating at her home after a surgical operation in Memorial Hospital.

First Lt. Norman Patton, Greenville, S. C., spent the Easter holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Patton.

Clyde Bender, Silver Springs, spent the Easter holidays with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Landis.

Robert Gnagey, Penn Commercial College, Washington, Pa., was a guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Emma Bender and Dr. and Mrs. T. O. Broadwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Markel Stanton, Cumberland, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stenton and daughter, Joice Lee, and Mrs. Grace Reichter, Baltimore, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Stanton over Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Bevans and daughter, Sue Marline, Washington, D. C., arrived Sunday evening to spend this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Brenneman, Bittinger, and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Beachy, Grantsville.

Miss Elizabeth Jane Beachy has returned to Silver Springs after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Beachy.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Patton and daughters, JoAnn and Patty, Cresaptown; Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Broadwater, Shirley and Richard Broadwater, Melcroft, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Patton and son, Dennis, Cumberland; David D. Patton, Fort Meade; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rizer and son, Glennie, Clifton Forge, Va., and Harry R. Patton, were Easter guests of their mother, Mrs. Bessie Patton and sister, Lorna.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bernhard, Washington, D. C., were guests of Mrs. Bernhard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Beachy, over Easter.

Raymond Leochel is a surgical patient in Memorial Hospital, Cumberland.

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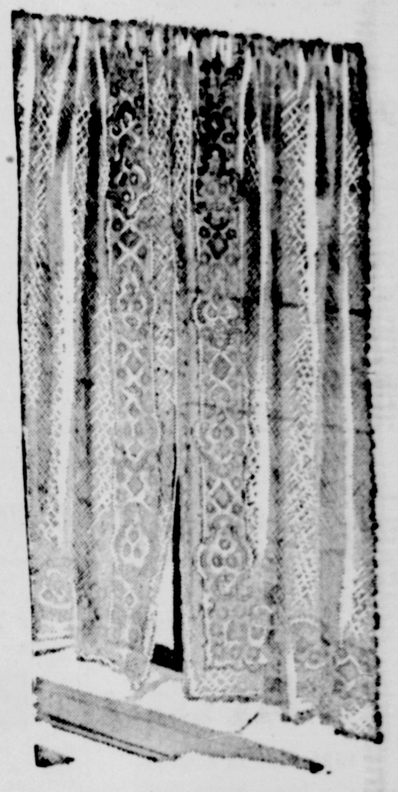

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THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1947

Frostburg Unit Will Be Hostess To State Group

Meeting Planned Sunday Afternoon

By RUDOLPH NICKEL

FROSTBURG, April 9—Mrs. Margaret Poorbaugh, Baltimore, president of the Department of Maryland American Legion Auxiliary, will be honor guest at the regular meeting of Farrady Unit No. 24, which will be held in the Legion home on Sunday, April 13, at 2 p. m. She will be accompanied by her staff of officers.

Following the regular meeting, Farrady Unit will be hostess to the units of Mountain District at their second meeting of the year. Units include those of Mt. Savage, Cumberland, Cresaptown, Barton, Lonaconing, Westernport and Kitzmiller.

Mrs. Martha McNary, Mountain District vice president, will preside. Officers and chairmen are expected to have their reports up to date at this meeting, and all Farrady Unit members are requested to attend. Refreshments will be served.

Thomas Rites Arranged

Last rites for Mrs. Ida Jane Thomas, 70, wife of Evan L. Thomas, 207 Center Street, who died Monday in Miners' Hospital, will be conducted Friday, at 3 p. m. in First Congregational Church with Rev. J. F. Zimmerman, pastor, in charge of services. Burial will be in Allegany Cemetery.

School Plans Play

The annual school play of Beall High School, "Howdy Neighbor," will be presented Friday at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium. The play, a three-act comedy, deals with a typical American family, who carry the "good neighbor" policy to great lengths when they offer the hospitality of their home to a family from south of the border.

Prof. H. H. Payne will direct the production.

Phillips Service Set

A funeral service for David Phillips, 68, 303 Welsh Hill, who died Monday in Springfield State Hospital, after a lingering illness, will be held Friday at 1:30 p. m. in First Congregational Church, with Rev. J. F. Zimmerman, pastor, officiating. Interment will be in Allegany Cemetery.

To Purchase Bonds

Frostburg Lodge No. 470, B.P.O. Elks, announced last night that the trustees of the lodge had been instructed to subscribe for the purchase of $2,000 worth of bonds from the Frostburg Industrial Corporation.

The money is to be used to help construct a new factory here for the use of the Michael Berkowitz Company. It is reported that this is the largest subscription so far received from any Frostburg fraternal organization.

Frostburg Briefs

The Philathea Class of First English Baptist Church will meet Friday at 7:30 p. m. in the Sunday school room of the church. Miss Margaret Price, Miss Della Offman and Miss Thelma Louise Harris will be the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wiland, 87 West Main Street, announce the birth of a son Monday in Miners Hospital.

Joseph L. Evans, East Main Street, has begun the construction of a double block brick residence on East Loo Street, near Frostburg State Teachers' College.

Minnehaha Council No. 4, Daughters of Pocohontas, will meet at their lodge hall, Broadway, Thursday at 7:30 p. m. for a dress rehearsal of the degree team.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Skidmore, Carlos, announce the birth of a daughter in Miners Hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith, LaVale, announce the birth of a son Monday in Miners Hospital.

The McKenzie Sunday school class of St. Paul's Lutheran Church will meet Thursday at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Bertha Geis, 7 Mt. Pleasant Street, for rehearsal.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Thomas, Route 2, Frostburg, entertained last evening in honor of the first birthday of their daughter, Kitty. A large three-tiered cake surmounted with one candle was the centerpiece of the refreshment table.

The Ladies' Aid Society of First Congregational Church will meet Thursday at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Edith Hitchins, West Loo Street, with Mrs. Edith Zarger as assistant hostess. Mrs. Hitchins will have charge of the devotions.

The drum and bugle corps of Farrady Post No. 24, American Legion, will hold its semi-monthly dance Thursday at the Legion home on East Main Street from 9 p. m. until midnight.

Frostburg Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oglebay, Jr.; William Glime, Silver Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Glime, Schuylkill Haven, Pa., were guests of their mother, Mrs. Laura Glime, during the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Estelle B. Price, East Main Street, had as Easter weekend guests her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Price, Greenbelt, Md. Mrs. Estelle Price is now visiting in Greenbelt.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley Broadwater, Big Savage Mountain, received word that their son, Seaman First Class Ronald L. Broadwater, had arrived safely in China.

Miss Betty Stewart returned to Hyattsville after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart, Maple street.

Mrs. Peter Kenney is recuperating at her home, following on operation in Miners Hospital.

Donald Workman, Washington, D. C., came here last week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jabez Workman, West Main Street.

John Lee Kelly, West Main Street, is home from a vacation in Florida.

Mr and Mrs. Thomas Jackson and daughter, Juanita, and Edward Flannagan spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hoover, Charleroi, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conrad returned to Jeanette, Pa., after visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary Gunter, West Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goode returned to Akron, O., after visiting Mrs. Katie Myers, Eckhart and Mr. and Mrs. William Bauer, West Mechanic Street.

Miss Orpha Clark returned to Washington after spending Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Clark, Oak Street.

Miss Jane McLane returned to Notre Dame College, Baltimore, after supending the Easter holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. O. McLane.

Miss Eloise Flanagan, Of Parsons, Becomes Bride Of Howard Shaffer

MRS. HOWARD SHAFFER

By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS, April 9—Mrs. Clara Flanagan, Parsons, announces the marriage of her only daughter, Eloise, to Howard Shaffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Shaffer, Kerens, who has made his home for many years with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Owens in Piedmont, Ohio.

The single ring ceremony was solemnized in the St. Paul's Methodist church in Oakland, February 15, with Rev. Denver C. Pickens, pastor of the church officiating.

The bride wore a street length two piece suit of winter white wool jersey with an off the face hat of the same material. Her accessories were black and her attire was completed with a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Shaffer, a talented musician of Parsons, is a graduate of Parsons High School in the class of 1938 and attended Davis and Elkins College, Elkins, where she is a member of the Phi Chi social sorority and also was graduated from the Perry Business college. For the past five years she has been Deputy Clerk in the office of the County clerk in Parsons. The bride is also an officer in Parsons Chapter No. 91, Order of the Eastern Star lodge and secretary of the General Garnet Post No. 4322, Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and a member of the choir of the First Baptist church.

Mr. Shaffer, attended schools in Piedmont, O., and served for three years with the Air Corps, several months of which was overseas duty where he was wounded and awarded the Purple Heart medal. He is a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in Piedmont, Ohio, and is an employee of the Pennsylvania Railroad there.

Mrs. Shaffer plans to join her husband in the near future in Piedmont, Ohio, where they will reside.

Two Are Arrested

Trooper Charles Burke, Thomas State Police Detachment, and Sheriff D. E. Crosten arrested Earl Jones, Parsons, over the weekend on a warrant sworn out by his brother-in-law, Floyd Nestor, for the assault to Mrs. Earl Jones.

Jones told the officers that he was drunk and did not know why he drove his wife in the car to Smoky Mountain Road and then took her under the hill and beat her. She was found by her brother who removed her to a local hospital where she is being treated for shock and body bruises.

Charles Long, Bretz, was arrested by the officers on Route 219, near Parsons, Saturday night on a drunk charge. He was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Lawrence Lipscomb on Monday and was fined $25 and costs. His car was impounded and his licence was revoked for six months.

Heads Church Guild

Mrs. A. R. Crawford was hostess to members of the Presbyterian guild at her home recently. Following the devotional service the annual election was held with Mrs. Grace Johnson being re-elected as president of the Guild. Others elected were vice president, Mrs. Ruth Deahl; secretary, Mrs. Grace Crawford; treasurer, Mrs. Betty Patterson.

4-H Club Plans Mothers' Day Tea At Mt. Savage

MRS. ROSE O'ROURKE

MT. SAVAGE, April 9—The 4-H meeting was held yesterday at the home of Margaret Stowell, New Row. Twenty-five members were present. Sewing demonstrations were given by Ida Beal, Ellen Jenkins, Carol Yutzy, Nancy Cooley, Judy Blank, Mary Meade, Peggy and Dottie Joe Sweene.

Arrangements were completed for a Mother's Day tea May 13 — to be held in St. George's Parish House. All mothers will be invited, also the Church Hill 4-H. At the tea exhibits of canning, sewing and other hobbies will be displayed.

Miss Gloria Bohn, Cumberland was present, also Mrs. Wilson Sweene, Mrs. Raymond Yutzy and Mrs. Joseph Jenkins, leader.

Personals

Rev. Michael Smyth returned after spending several days in Baltimore.

Rev. George Larkin, pastor of the Shrine of the Little Flower, Rev. George Hopkins, the Cathedral Baltimore, Rev. Francis J. Egan and sister Mrs. Agnes McCarthy, Baltimore, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Robert Marton and Mrs. Genevieve Hopkins, Laurel, and Misses Anna Mary and Kathryn Larkin, Baltimore are here visiting relatives.

Rev. Ronald Fannon, of Shrine of Sacred Heart, Washington, and Edgar Fannon visited their father, Michael Fannon and sisters, Mrs. John Crowe and Mrs. Walter Martin.

John Flanigan and Kenneth Gilmore, Santa Cruz, N. M., have returned after spending the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Flanigan, Sr.

Mrs. Austin Blank, who has been confined to her home since Jan. 12 with a complex fracture of her right ankle, is able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Flanigan spent Easter holidays in New York the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Fitzgerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Kraymer M. Witt announce the birth of a daughter at their home in Mandeim, W Va., Easter Sunday April 6. Mrs. Witt is the former Miss Gloria Lancaster.

Mrs. Rose Mary Green, Miss Maybin, Johnstown; Miss Annie Murray, McKeesport are guests of Miss Mary Murray.

Miss Laura Walker is a medical patient in the Allegany Hospital.

The Parent and Teachers Association of Mt. Savage school will hold a dance in the school auditorium Friday evening with music by the Mountaineers.

All firemen having uniforms are requested to bring them in for inspection to the Fireman's Hall not later than Monday April 14.

Mrs. Cora Price Becomes Bride Of Parsons Man

By MRS. VIRGINIA CHASE

PARSONS, April 9—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore announce the marriage of Mrs. Cora Price to their uncle, Mr. Eli J. Maurice, Friday, March 28, by Rev. Mr. Smearman at the United Brethren Church in Junior, W. Va.

Mrs. Price, a resident of Belaire, Ohio for the past several years, is native of Barbour County, W. Va. She is the daughter of Mrs. Ellen Moore, Junior, W. Va.

Maurice, a native of Aushell, France, came to the United States when 19 years old and has lived in and around Clarksburg, W. Va. He come to Parsons about a year ago to make his home with the Moore's. After a brief honeymoon in Ohio they will make their home in Junior.

To Hold Musical

PARSONS, W. Va., April 9—Davis high and grade schools will present their annual Spring musical event Friday at 8 p. m. in the high school gymnasium, under the direction of Miss Paige DeBacco, county music supervisor.

Instrumental duets will feature Robert Drury and Donald Gnegy, and Barbara McDowell and Janet Sayer. Monna Mae Wick will play a saxophone solo, and other selections will be furnished by the high school orchestra, glee club and musical groups from the various grades.

New Fire Truck Arrives

A new fire truck was delivered to the Parsons Volunteer Fire Company this week, and additional fire hose is on order to supply the new truck, which cost $8,300, and another fire truck purchased in 1943.

Chief Darl Stalnaker said a campaign will be held soon to raise money for purchase of more hose and a new emergency car.

In the annual election of the group, held Monday at the fire house, those named were John Kenny, president; Jim Smith, vice president; Darl Stalnaker, chief; Robert Comp, assistant chief; Ona Hovatter, recording secretary; Carlton Bennett, captain; Harold Flanigan, first lieutenant; John Hillard, second lieutenant; Alva Mitchell, chaplain; Joe Shrout, sergeant at arms; Jim Smith, drill sergeant; and Tom Isner, financial secretary.

Brief Mention

Miss Helen Stample, student at Davis and Elkins College, was treated at a local hospital after her right hand was caught in a clothes wringer at her home.

Mrs. Darwin Chase and daughters, Patricia and Mary Lou, Akron, Ohio, were accompanied to New York City by Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Chase where Mrs. Chase will meet her parents Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ridout, London, England.

Lt. Comdr. Fred Butcher returned from the South Pacific last week, after a six weeks tour. He was called back by the Navy after being released for one year.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Coffman were hosts recently at a turkey dinner at their home. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Boyer and daughter; Miss Virginia Bruce Boyer; Mr. and Mrs. George Dornblazer, Elkins; Mrs. Ada Taylor, Charleston; Mrs. Gerald Parks, Misses Jennie and Edna McVeigh, Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. Cleon W. Rease and son, Johnny, Mrs. Claude C. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. James Arnold and children, James and Frances; Miss Edna Louise Coffman, and Charles Coffman, Baltimore, Md.

W. H. Norton Weds Miss Anna Kaylor

By MRS. J. C. SNYDER

PAW PAW, W. Va., April 9—St. Charles Catholic Church was the scene of a wedding Easter morning when Anna Kaylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Kaylor, became the bride of William Henry Norton, son of Henry and the late Hazel Brown Norton.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attractively attired in a blue suit and wore a corsage of red rosebuds. The bride's mother wore gray with blue accessories.

The double-ring ceremony was performed by Father Robert Kilgannon, Ridgeley.

The altar was decorated with Easter lilies and pink and white snapdragons. Robert Kaylor, brother of the bride, served as best man and Mrs. Patricia Norton, sister-in-law of the bridegroom was matron of honor. William Golladay, cousin of the bridegrom, and Donald Kaylor, brother of the bride, served as ushers.

A reception was held in the Norton Hall after the wedding and the couple left for a week's honeymoon trip.

The bridegroom is employed by P. E. Nixon and Company and the bride by the Union Tanning Company. Both are graduates of Paw Paw High School.

Marriage Is Announced

The home of Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Herpich, Boonsboro, was the scene of the marriage of Miss Jessie Spitler, daughter of George Spitler, of Virginia, became the bride of James Edward Hutson, Sharpsburg, with the ceremony being performed by Rev. Mr. Herpich.

The bride wore a blue dress with white accessories and had a corsage of red rosebuds. Mr. Hutson is employed by the Victor Corporation in Hagerstown. After a short honeymoon in the West the couple will reside with the bridegroom's parents at Sharpsburg.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garrett and daughter, Ann, have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Greathouse, Flemington, W. Va.

Mrs. Grace Friend, Hagerstown, spent the Easter holidays here with her sister, Mrs. Ruth Bevan.

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Newly Organized Barton Auxiliary Inducts Officers

By DAVID E. KIRK

BARTON, April 9—Installation of officers of the newly organized Ladies Auxiliary of Barton Post No. 189, American Legion, was held at the regular meeting Monday in the Legion home.

Mrs. Martha McNary, vice president of the Mountain District, was the installing officer. Those installed were Mrs. Mollie Kiddy, president; Mrs. Jesse Kimble, first vice president; Mrs. William P. Miller, secretary; Mrs. Jane Davis, treasurer; Miss Elsie Wilson, historian; Mrs. Daisilene Kirk, chaplain; and Mrs. Kathleen Nesbit, sergeant at arms.

Others assisting Mrs. McNary were Mrs. Harry Vogel, secretary to Mrs. McNary; Ada C. Long, Cumberland, co-chairman of the community service of the Department of Maryland, and Mrs. Jessie Abbott Smith, Mrs. Helent Keating, Mrs. Agnes Kiddy, and Mrs. Jennie Peebles, members of Ladies Auxiliary of James P. Love Post of Lonaconing.

Mrs. McConnell, president of Lonaconing's auxiliary, gave a report of the activities of her unit. The group made plans to sell poppies on Poppy Day and membership cards were distributed by the secretary.

The next meeting will be held April 21, in the Legion home.

Brief Items

A special meeting of Barton Hose Company No. 1 has been called for Monday evening at 7:30 by Henry Howell, president. Drill practice will be held at 6:45 the same evening.

The Ladies Bible Class of the Methodist Church will meet Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at the church. Following this meeting, the Women's Society of Christian Service will meet.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. James Stakem, Washington, D. C., returned home after visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howell, Barton, and the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Stakem, Midland.

William McMillian, Akron, is visiting friends and relatives here. This is the first visit he has made to his home town for 28 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Miles and infant son, Baltimore, returned to their home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hyde and family.

Miss Shirley Neilson, Water Street, is able to be out after being confined to her home for two weeks.

Miss Mary Major, seventh grade instructor at Barton School, has returned after spending the holidays in New York City.

Miss Verlys J. Michael, student at Strayer's Business College, Washington, returned after spending the holiday with her mother, Mrs. Verda L. Michael.

Ross Bell and sons, Morgantown, W. Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hyde and Mrs. Sarah Hyde.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Harvey and children, Carolyn and Billy, returned to their home in Morgantown after visiting the latter's brothers, Courtney and Graydon Andrews, for the past several days.

Mrs. Gladys Porter is ill at the home of Mrs. Mollie McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kyle returned to their home, Youngstown, O., after visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Kyle.

Mr. and Mrs. James Beard, Washington, are visiting Mrs. Elizageth Perkins, the latter's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. John DeSanto and infant daughter, Syracuse, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. DeSanto's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Smith, North Eutah Street.

Raymond Montgomery, Dunlevy, Pa., returned to his home after visiting his mother, Mrs. Margaret Montgomery, on her birthday.

Clarence "Bert" Green, Laurel Hill Road, was taken to Potomac Valley Hospital, Keyser, W. Va., after suffering a broken leg when he fell while getting out of bed. He broke his leg last December in another fall.

Property For Sale

The parsonage of Trinity Pentecostal Church, Midlothian, consisting of a house and lot will be sold to the highest bidder. All bids to be sealed and mailed to Everett Ark, Midlothian, on or before April 17, 1947. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Wilbert H. Richards, Secretary.
Adv.—N-T-April 10-11-12.

James Rites Will Be Held Today

Lonaconing Man Dies In Hospital

By MARIE MERRBACH

LONACONING, April 9—Funeral service for Samuel James, 74, will be held Thursday at 2:30 p. m. from his home on Church Street.

Rev. John E. Stacks, pastor of the First Methodist Church, will officiate. Interment will be in Oak Hill Cemetery, Lonaconing.

Mr. James died Monday night at 11:15 o'clock in Miners Hospital, Frostburg, where he was admitted the same day. He was a retired miner and had been in ill health several months.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Jessie MacMillan James, five daughters, Mrs. Jennie Smith, Mrs. Anna Myers and Miss Florence James, Lonaconing; Mrs. Alice Bahen, Frostburg, Mrs. Emma Eilbeck, Akron, Ohio; three sons, William, Dundalk, Md.; Samuel Jr., of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Melvin, of Midland; a brother, Walter M. James of Orlando, Florida.

Service by the Junior Order of United American Mechanics Council was conducted at the home on Church Street Wednesday night.

Plan Youth Rally

Rev. Kenneth Harrington, pastor of the Cumberland Pentecostal Holiness Church, and president of the Maryland Conference of the Pentecostal Holiness Youth Society, will lead the service at the rally of young people of the Western Maryland district of the Pentecostal Holiness Church at the Lonaconing Pentecostal Holiness tabernacle, Jackson street, Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Miss Helen Lamp, Cumberland; Mrs. Dorothy McIntyre, Piedmont, and Mrs. Mildred H. Bittinger, Lonaconing, presidents of Pentecostal Holiness Youth Societies in their respective churches, will also assist in this rally.

Delegations from all Pentecostal Holiness churches in the Western Maryland district are expected to attend. There will be special music on the program.

Brief Mention

The Past Chiefs Club of the Pythian Sisters will meet Thursday, April 17, instead of April 10, as originally planned.

Edward Thompson has returned to his home on Jackson Street from Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, where he was a surgical patient. He is reported much improved.

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Frostburg Unit Will Be Hostess To State Group

Meeting Planned Sunday Afternoon

By RUDOLPH NICKEL

FROSTBURG, April 9—Mrs. Margaret Poorbaugh, Baltimore, president of the Department of Maryland American Legion Auxiliary, will be honor guest at the regular meeting of Farrady Unit No. 24, which will be held in the Legion home on Sunday, April 13, at 2 p. m. She will be accompanied by her staff of officers.

Following the regular meeting, Farrady Unit will be hostess to the units of Mountain District at their second meeting of the year. Units include those of Mt. Savage, Cumberland, Cresaptown, Barton, Lonaconing, Westernport and Kitzmiller.

Mrs. Martha McNary, Mountain District vice president, will preside. Officers and chairmen are expected to have their reports up to date at this meeting, and all Farrady Unit members are requested to attend. Refreshments will be served.

Thomas Rites Arranged

Last rites for Mrs. Ida Jane Thomas, 70, wife of Evan L. Thomas, 207 Center Street, who died Monday in Miners' Hospital, will be conducted Friday, at 3 p. m. in First Congregational Church with Rev. J. F. Zimmerman, pastor, in charge of services. Burial will be in Allegany Cemetery.

School Plans Play

The annual school play of Beall High School, "Howdy Neighbor," will be presented Friday at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium. The play, a three-act comedy, deals with a typical American family, who carry the "good neighbor" policy to great lengths when they offer the hospitality of their home to a family from south of the border.

Prof. H. H. Payne will direct the production.

Phillips Service Set

A funeral service for David Phillips, 68, 303 Welsh Hill, who died Monday in Springfield State Hospital, after a lingering illness, will be held Friday at 1:30 p. m. in First Congregational Church, with Rev. J. F. Zimmerman, pastor, officiating. Interment will be in Allegany Cemetery.

To Purchase Bonds

Frostburg Lodge No. 470, B.P.O. Elks, announced last night that the trustees of the lodge had been instructed to subscribe for the purchase of $2,000 worth of bonds from the Frostburg Industrial Corporation.

The money is to be used to help construct a new factory here for the use of the Michael Berkowitz Company. It is reported that this is the largest subscription so far received from any Frostburg fraternal organization.

Frostburg Briefs

The Philathea Class of First English Baptist Church will meet Friday at 7:30 p. m. in the Sunday school room of the church. Miss Margaret Price, Miss Della Offman and Miss Thelma Louise Harris will be the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wiland, 87 West Main Street, announce the birth of a son Monday in Miners Hospital.

Joseph L. Evans, East Main Street, has begun the construction of a double block brick residence on East Loo Street, near Frostburg State Teachers' College.

Minnehaha Council No. 4, Daughters of Pocohontas, will meet at their lodge hall, Broadway, Thursday at 7:30 p. m. for a dress rehearsal of the degree team.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Skidmore, Carlos, announce the birth of a daughter in Miners Hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith, LaVale, announce the birth of a son Monday in Miners Hospital.

The McKenzie Sunday school class of St. Paul's Lutheran Church will meet Thursday at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Bertha Geis, 7 Mt. Pleasant Street, for rehearsal.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Thomas, Route 2, Frostburg, entertained last evening in honor of the first birthday of their daughter, Kitty. A large three-tiered cake surmounted with one candle was the centerpiece of the refreshment table.

The Ladies' Aid Society of First Congregational Church will meet Thursday at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Edith Hitchins, West Loo Street, with Mrs. Edith Zarger as assistant hostess. Mrs. Hitchins will have charge of the devotions.

The drum and bugle corps of Farrady Post No. 24, American Legion, will hold its semi-monthly dance Thursday at the Legion home on East Main Street from 9 p. m. until midnight.

Frostburg Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oglebay, Jr.; William Glime, Silver Spring, and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Glime, Schuylkill Haven, Pa., were guests of their mother, Mrs. Laura Glime, during the Easter holidays.

Mrs. Estelle B. Price, East Main Street, had as Easter weekend guests her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Price, Greenbelt, Md. Mrs. Estelle Price is now visiting in Greenbelt.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley Broadwater, Big Savage Mountain, received word that their son, Seaman First Class Ronald L. Broadwater, had arrived safely in China.

Miss Betty Stewart returned to Hyattsville after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart, Maple street.

Mrs. Peter Kenney is recuperating at her home, following on operation in Miners Hospital.

Donald Workman, Washington, D. C., came here last week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jabez Workman, West Main Street.

John Lee Kelly, West Main Street, is home from a vacation in Florida.

Mr and Mrs. Thomas Jackson and daughter, Juanita, and Edward Flannagan spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hoover, Charleroi, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conrad returned to Jeanette, Pa., after visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary Gunter, West Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goode returned to Akron, O., after visiting Mrs. Katie Myers, Eckhart and Mr. and Mrs. William Bauer, West Mechanic Street.

Miss Orpha Clark returned to Washington after spending Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Clark, Oak Street.

Miss Jane McLane returned to Notre Dame College, Baltimore, after supending the Easter holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. O. McLane.

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By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS, April 9—Mrs. Clara Flanagan, Parsons, announces the marriage of her only daughter, Eloise, to Howard Shaffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Shaffer, Kerens, who has made his home for many years with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Owens in Piedmont, Ohio.

The single ring ceremony was solemnized in the St. Paul's Methodist church in Oakland, February 15, with Rev. Denver C. Pickens, pastor of the church officiating.

The bride wore a street length two piece suit of winter white wool jersey with an off the face hat of the same material. Her accessories were black and her attire was completed with a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Shaffer, a talented musician of Parsons, is a graduate of Parsons High School in the class of 1938 and attended Davis and Elkins College, Elkins, where she is a member of the Phi Chi social sorority and also was graduated from the Perry Business college. For the past five years she has been Deputy Clerk in the office of the County clerk in Parsons. The bride is also an officer in Parsons Chapter No. 91, Order of the Eastern Star lodge and secretary of the General Garnet Post No. 4322, Ladies Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and a member of the choir of the First Baptist church.

Mr. Shaffer, attended schools in Piedmont, O., and served for three years with the Air Corps, several months of which was overseas duty where he was wounded and awarded the Purple Heart medal. He is a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in Piedmont, Ohio, and is an employee of the Pennsylvania Railroad there.

Mrs. Shaffer plans to join her husband in the near future in Piedmont, Ohio, where they will reside.

Two Are Arrested

Trooper Charles Burke, Thomas State Police Detachment, and Sheriff D. E. Crosten arrested Earl Jones, Parsons, over the weekend on a warrant sworn out by his brother-in-law, Floyd Nestor, for the assault to Mrs. Earl Jones.

Jones told the officers that he was drunk and did not know why he drove his wife in the car to Smoky Mountain Road and then took her under the hill and beat her. She was found by her brother who removed her to a local hospital where she is being treated for shock and body bruises.

Charles Long, Bretz, was arrested by the officers on Route 219, near Parsons, Saturday night on a drunk charge. He was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Lawrence Lipscomb on Monday and was fined $25 and costs. His car was impounded and his licence was revoked for six months.

Heads Church Guild

Mrs. A. R. Crawford was hostess to members of the Presbyterian guild at her home recently. Following the devotional service the annual election was held with Mrs. Grace Johnson being re-elected as president of the Guild. Others elected were vice president, Mrs. Ruth Deahl; secretary, Mrs. Grace Crawford; treasurer, Mrs. Betty Patterson.

4-H Club Plans Mothers' Day Tea At Mt. Savage

MRS. ROSE O'ROURKE

MT. SAVAGE, April 9—The 4-H meeting was held yesterday at the home of Margaret Stowell, New Row. Twenty-five members were present. Sewing demonstrations were given by Ida Beal, Ellen Jenkins, Carol Yutzy, Nancy Cooley, Judy Blank, Mary Meade, Peggy and Dottie Joe Sweene.

Arrangements were completed for a Mother's Day tea May 13 — to be held in St. George's Parish House. All mothers will be invited, also the Church Hill 4-H. At the tea exhibits of canning, sewing and other hobbies will be displayed.

Miss Gloria Bohn, Cumberland was present, also Mrs. Wilson Sweene, Mrs. Raymond Yutzy and Mrs. Joseph Jenkins, leader.

Personals

Rev. Michael Smyth returned after spending several days in Baltimore.

Rev. George Larkin, pastor of the Shrine of the Little Flower, Rev. George Hopkins, the Cathedral Baltimore, Rev. Francis J. Egan and sister Mrs. Agnes McCarthy, Baltimore, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Robert Marton and Mrs. Genevieve Hopkins, Laurel, and Misses Anna Mary and Kathryn Larkin, Baltimore are here visiting relatives.

Rev. Ronald Fannon, of Shrine of Sacred Heart, Washington, and Edgar Fannon visited their father, Michael Fannon and sisters, Mrs. John Crowe and Mrs. Walter Martin.

John Flanigan and Kenneth Gilmore, Santa Cruz, N. M., have returned after spending the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Flanigan, Sr.

Mrs. Austin Blank, who has been confined to her home since Jan. 12 with a complex fracture of her right ankle, is able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Flanigan spent Easter holidays in New York the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Fitzgerald.

Mr. and Mrs. Kraymer M. Witt announce the birth of a daughter at their home in Mandeim, W Va., Easter Sunday April 6. Mrs. Witt is the former Miss Gloria Lancaster.

Mrs. Rose Mary Green, Miss Maybin, Johnstown; Miss Annie Murray, McKeesport are guests of Miss Mary Murray.

Miss Laura Walker is a medical patient in the Allegany Hospital.

The Parent and Teachers Association of Mt. Savage school will hold a dance in the school auditorium Friday evening with music by the Mountaineers.

All firemen having uniforms are requested to bring them in for inspection to the Fireman's Hall not later than Monday April 14.

Mrs. Cora Price Becomes Bride Of Parsons Man

By MRS. VIRGINIA CHASE

PARSONS, April 9—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore announce the marriage of Mrs. Cora Price to their uncle, Mr. Eli J. Maurice, Friday, March 28, by Rev. Mr. Smearman at the United Brethren Church in Junior, W. Va.

Mrs. Price, a resident of Belaire, Ohio for the past several years, is native of Barbour County, W. Va. She is the daughter of Mrs. Ellen Moore, Junior, W. Va.

Maurice, a native of Aushell, France, came to the United States when 19 years old and has lived in and around Clarksburg, W. Va. He come to Parsons about a year ago to make his home with the Moore's. After a brief honeymoon in Ohio they will make their home in Junior.

To Hold Musical

PARSONS, W. Va., April 9—Davis high and grade schools will present their annual Spring musical event Friday at 8 p. m. in the high school gymnasium, under the direction of Miss Paige DeBacco, county music supervisor.

Instrumental duets will feature Robert Drury and Donald Gnegy, and Barbara McDowell and Janet Sayer. Monna Mae Wick will play a saxophone solo, and other selections will be furnished by the high school orchestra, glee club and musical groups from the various grades.

New Fire Truck Arrives

A new fire truck was delivered to the Parsons Volunteer Fire Company this week, and additional fire hose is on order to supply the new truck, which cost $8,300, and another fire truck purchased in 1943.

Chief Darl Stalnaker said a campaign will be held soon to raise money for purchase of more hose and a new emergency car.

In the annual election of the group, held Monday at the fire house, those named were John Kenny, president; Jim Smith, vice president; Darl Stalnaker, chief; Robert Comp, assistant chief; Ona Hovatter, recording secretary; Carlton Bennett, captain; Harold Flanigan, first lieutenant; John Hillard, second lieutenant; Alva Mitchell, chaplain; Joe Shrout, sergeant at arms; Jim Smith, drill sergeant; and Tom Isner, financial secretary.

Brief Mention

Miss Helen Stample, student at Davis and Elkins College, was treated at a local hospital after her right hand was caught in a clothes wringer at her home.

Mrs. Darwin Chase and daughters, Patricia and Mary Lou, Akron, Ohio, were accompanied to New York City by Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Chase where Mrs. Chase will meet her parents Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ridout, London, England.

Lt. Comdr. Fred Butcher returned from the South Pacific last week, after a six weeks tour. He was called back by the Navy after being released for one year.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Coffman were hosts recently at a turkey dinner at their home. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Boyer and daughter; Miss Virginia Bruce Boyer; Mr. and Mrs. George Dornblazer, Elkins; Mrs. Ada Taylor, Charleston; Mrs. Gerald Parks, Misses Jennie and Edna McVeigh, Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. Cleon W. Rease and son, Johnny, Mrs. Claude C. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. James Arnold and children, James and Frances; Miss Edna Louise Coffman, and Charles Coffman, Baltimore, Md.

W. H. Norton Weds Miss Anna Kaylor

By MRS. J. C. SNYDER

PAW PAW, W. Va., April 9—St. Charles Catholic Church was the scene of a wedding Easter morning when Anna Kaylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Kaylor, became the bride of William Henry Norton, son of Henry and the late Hazel Brown Norton.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attractively attired in a blue suit and wore a corsage of red rosebuds. The bride's mother wore gray with blue accessories.

The double-ring ceremony was performed by Father Robert Kilgannon, Ridgeley.

The altar was decorated with Easter lilies and pink and white snapdragons. Robert Kaylor, brother of the bride, served as best man and Mrs. Patricia Norton, sister-in-law of the bridegroom was matron of honor. William Golladay, cousin of the bridegrom, and Donald Kaylor, brother of the bride, served as ushers.

A reception was held in the Norton Hall after the wedding and the couple left for a week's honeymoon trip.

The bridegroom is employed by P. E. Nixon and Company and the bride by the Union Tanning Company. Both are graduates of Paw Paw High School.

Marriage Is Announced

The home of Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Herpich, Boonsboro, was the scene of the marriage of Miss Jessie Spitler, daughter of George Spitler, of Virginia, became the bride of James Edward Hutson, Sharpsburg, with the ceremony being performed by Rev. Mr. Herpich.

The bride wore a blue dress with white accessories and had a corsage of red rosebuds. Mr. Hutson is employed by the Victor Corporation in Hagerstown. After a short honeymoon in the West the couple will reside with the bridegroom's parents at Sharpsburg.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garrett and daughter, Ann, have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Greathouse, Flemington, W. Va.

Mrs. Grace Friend, Hagerstown, spent the Easter holidays here with her sister, Mrs. Ruth Bevan.

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Newly Organized Barton Auxiliary Inducts Officers

By DAVID E. KIRK

BARTON, April 9—Installation of officers of the newly organized Ladies Auxiliary of Barton Post No. 189, American Legion, was held at the regular meeting Monday in the Legion home.

Mrs. Martha McNary, vice president of the Mountain District, was the installing officer. Those installed were Mrs. Mollie Kiddy, president; Mrs. Jesse Kimble, first vice president; Mrs. William P. Miller, secretary; Mrs. Jane Davis, treasurer; Miss Elsie Wilson, historian; Mrs. Daisilene Kirk, chaplain; and Mrs. Kathleen Nesbit, sergeant at arms.

Others assisting Mrs. McNary were Mrs. Harry Vogel, secretary to Mrs. McNary; Ada C. Long, Cumberland, co-chairman of the community service of the Department of Maryland, and Mrs. Jessie Abbott Smith, Mrs. Helent Keating, Mrs. Agnes Kiddy, and Mrs. Jennie Peebles, members of Ladies Auxiliary of James P. Love Post of Lonaconing.

Mrs. McConnell, president of Lonaconing's auxiliary, gave a report of the activities of her unit. The group made plans to sell poppies on Poppy Day and membership cards were distributed by the secretary.

The next meeting will be held April 21, in the Legion home.

Brief Items

A special meeting of Barton Hose Company No. 1 has been called for Monday evening at 7:30 by Henry Howell, president. Drill practice will be held at 6:45 the same evening.

The Ladies Bible Class of the Methodist Church will meet Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at the church. Following this meeting, the Women's Society of Christian Service will meet.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. James Stakem, Washington, D. C., returned home after visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howell, Barton, and the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Stakem, Midland.

William McMillian, Akron, is visiting friends and relatives here. This is the first visit he has made to his home town for 28 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Miles and infant son, Baltimore, returned to their home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hyde and family.

Miss Shirley Neilson, Water Street, is able to be out after being confined to her home for two weeks.

Miss Mary Major, seventh grade instructor at Barton School, has returned after spending the holidays in New York City.

Miss Verlys J. Michael, student at Strayer's Business College, Washington, returned after spending the holiday with her mother, Mrs. Verda L. Michael.

Ross Bell and sons, Morgantown, W. Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hyde and Mrs. Sarah Hyde.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Harvey and children, Carolyn and Billy, returned to their home in Morgantown after visiting the latter's brothers, Courtney and Graydon Andrews, for the past several days.

Mrs. Gladys Porter is ill at the home of Mrs. Mollie McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kyle returned to their home, Youngstown, O., after visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Kyle.

Mr. and Mrs. James Beard, Washington, are visiting Mrs. Elizageth Perkins, the latter's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. John DeSanto and infant daughter, Syracuse, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. DeSanto's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Smith, North Eutah Street.

Raymond Montgomery, Dunlevy, Pa., returned to his home after visiting his mother, Mrs. Margaret Montgomery, on her birthday.

Clarence "Bert" Green, Laurel Hill Road, was taken to Potomac Valley Hospital, Keyser, W. Va., after suffering a broken leg when he fell while getting out of bed. He broke his leg last December in another fall.

Property For Sale

The parsonage of Trinity Pentecostal Church, Midlothian, consisting of a house and lot will be sold to the highest bidder. All bids to be sealed and mailed to Everett Ark, Midlothian, on or before April 17, 1947. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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By MARIE MERRBACH

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Mr. James died Monday night at 11:15 o'clock in Miners Hospital, Frostburg, where he was admitted the same day. He was a retired miner and had been in ill health several months.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Jessie MacMillan James, five daughters, Mrs. Jennie Smith, Mrs. Anna Myers and Miss Florence James, Lonaconing; Mrs. Alice Bahen, Frostburg, Mrs. Emma Eilbeck, Akron, Ohio; three sons, William, Dundalk, Md.; Samuel Jr., of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Melvin, of Midland; a brother, Walter M. James of Orlando, Florida.

Service by the Junior Order of United American Mechanics Council was conducted at the home on Church Street Wednesday night.

Plan Youth Rally

Rev. Kenneth Harrington, pastor of the Cumberland Pentecostal Holiness Church, and president of the Maryland Conference of the Pentecostal Holiness Youth Society, will lead the service at the rally of young people of the Western Maryland district of the Pentecostal Holiness Church at the Lonaconing Pentecostal Holiness tabernacle, Jackson street, Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Miss Helen Lamp, Cumberland; Mrs. Dorothy McIntyre, Piedmont, and Mrs. Mildred H. Bittinger, Lonaconing, presidents of Pentecostal Holiness Youth Societies in their respective churches, will also assist in this rally.

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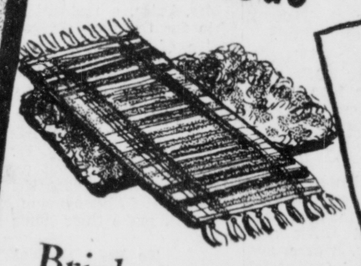

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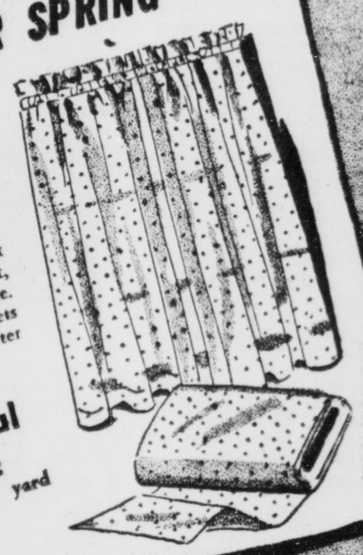

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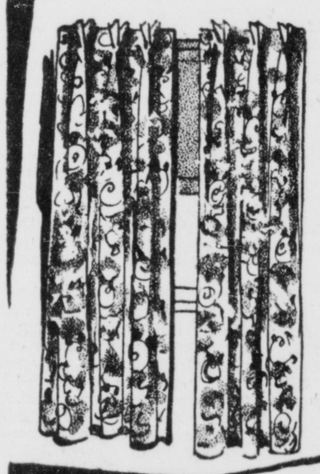

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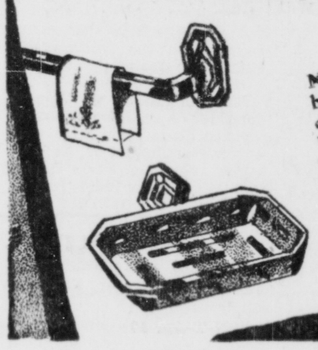

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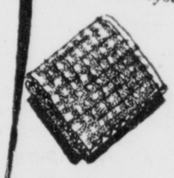

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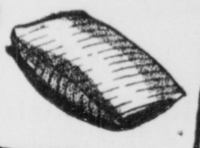

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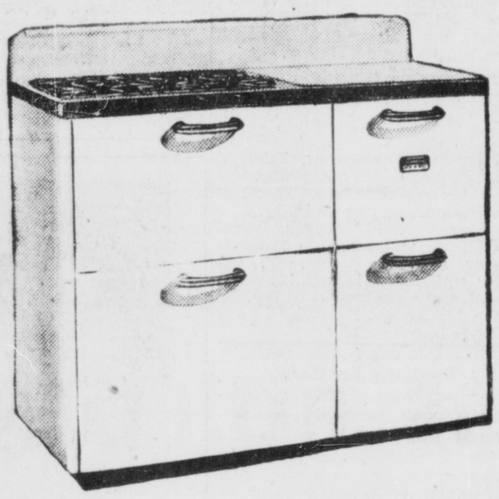

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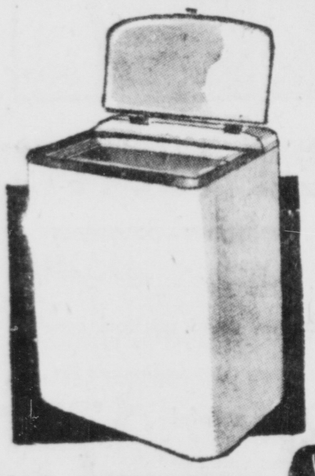

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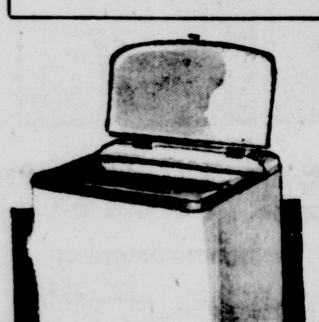

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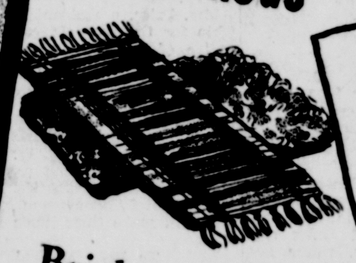

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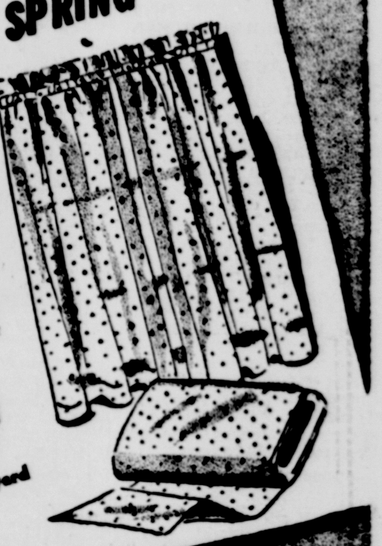

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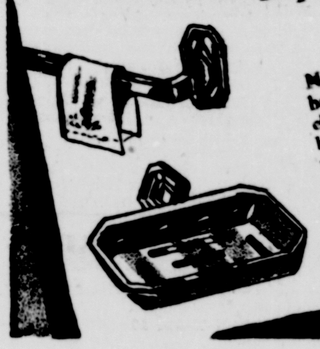

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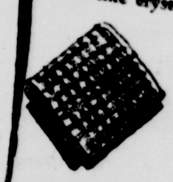

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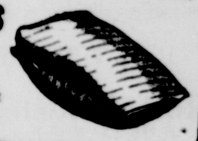

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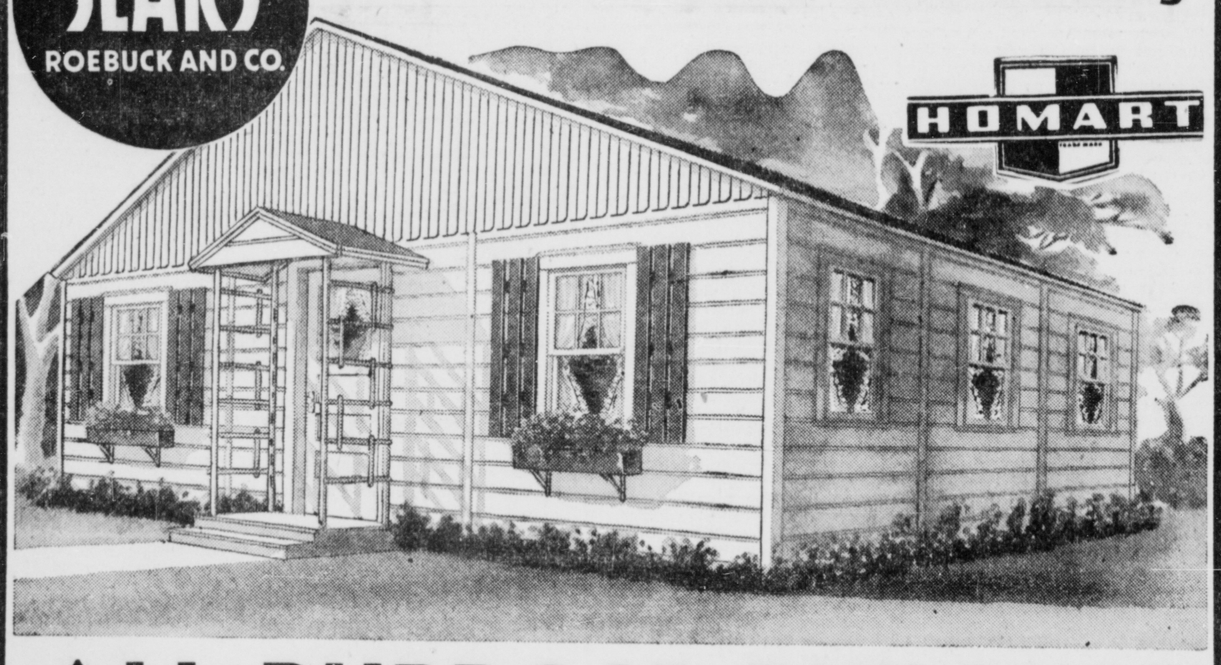

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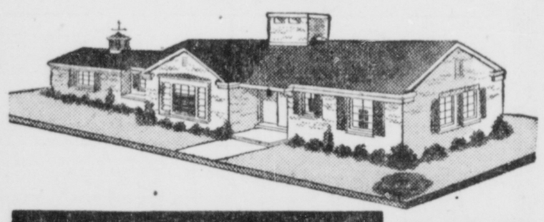

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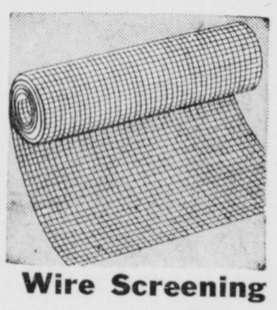

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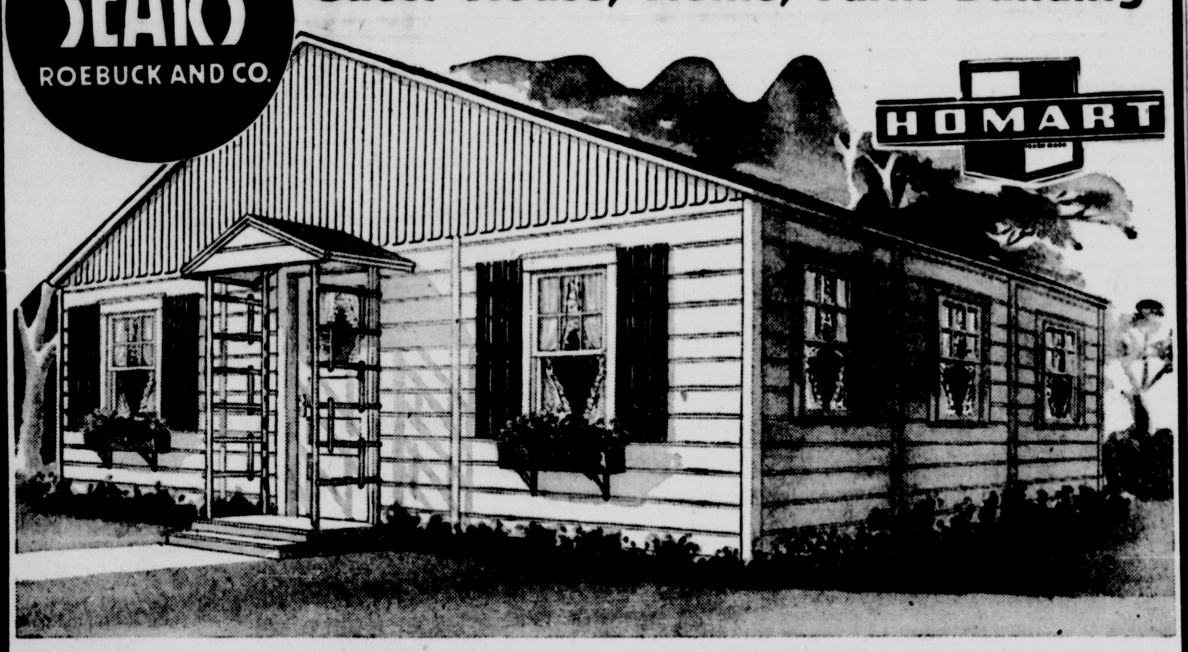

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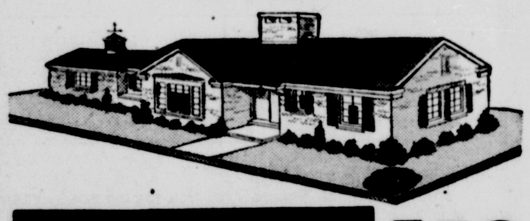

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The suspension of the belligerent Leo, who left a shortstop's job to become baseball's highest paid manager—an estimated $70,000 a year—was the "result of the accumulation of unpleasant incidents in which he has been involved," Chandler said.

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EXHIBITION GAMES

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NEW YORK (N) .....000 001 420—7 11 1
CLEVELAND (A) .....100 000 111—4 12 2
Kennedy, Carpenter (7) and Lombardi; Black, Gettel (8), Lemon (9) and Hegan, Lopez (8).

BROWNIES NIP PIRATES

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 9 (AP)—St. Louis Brownie hurlers Nelson Potter and Jack Kramer allowed the Pittsburgh Pirates 15 hits but kept them scattered as the St. Louis club won 6 to 4.

PITTSBURGH (N) ...200 000 002—4 15 1
ST. LOUIS (A) .....210 100 20x—6 9 0
Sewell, Singleton (4) and Jarvis; Potter, Kramer (5) and Moss.

A's WALLOP SAVANNAH

SAVANNAH, Ga., April 9 (AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics went on a hitting rampage today, pounding out 20 blows in whipping Savannah of the Sally League, 20 to 2.

PHILADELPHIA (A) .300 470 150—20 20 1
SAVANNAH (SA) ....000 010 010— 2 13 3
Flores, McCahan (6) and Guerra; Clyde, Bernardini (5) and Pobiak, Parks and Tanner.

PHILS TROUNCE SENATORS

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 9 (AP)—Oscar Judd cracked out a two-run homer in the second inning and Emil Verban came through with four singles today as the Philadelphia Phillies whipped the Washington Senators 8 to 2.

PHILADELPHIA (N) .121 002 101—8 14 1
WASHINGTON (A) ...000 001 010—2 10 2
Judd, Hughes (7) and Seminick, Hemsley (7); Wynn, Haefner (6) and Evans.

SOX SWAMP REDS

KINGSPORT, Tenn., April 9 (AP)—The Boston Red Sox banged out five homers and 15 other hits today to roll over the Cincinnati Reds 17-6 in an exhibition game witnessed by a crowd of more than 5,000.

Sam Mele, rookie Boston outfielder, was the hitting star of the day, collecting two round-trippers and three singles in six trips to the plate.

BOSTON (A) .....201 083 300—17 20 0
CINCINNATI (N) ....021 000 030— 6 14 0
Perriss, Johnson (8) and Wagner; Riddle, Shoun (5), Peterson (8) and Lamanno, Lakeman (8).

BRAVES BEAT BREWERS

RICHMOND, Ind., April 9 (AP)—A long outfield fly by third baseman Bob Elliott in the last of the ninth scored Connie Ryan from third base today to give the Boston Braves a 5-4 victory over their American Association farmhands, the Milwaukee Brewers.

BOSTON (N) .....200 100 101—5 8 3
MILWAUKEE (AA) ...030 000 001—4 12 4
Spahn, Macon (8) and Masi; Karas, Nolan (7) and Linden.

CUBS DOWN SHREVEPORT

SHREVEPORT, La., April 9 (AP)—Emil Kush and Doyle Lade, dividing the pitching duties for the Chicago Cubs, today whacked out a 7 to 0 victory over Shreveport to wind up the exhibition affairs with Texas League teams. The winners collected nine hits off four Shreveport hurlers.

CHICAGO (N) .....000 220 200—7 9 0
SHREVEPORT (TL) ...000 000 000—0 5 0
Kush, Lade (5) and Sheffing, Livingston (5); Dothager, Davis (4), Hill (8) and Crompton, Rossi (8).

CARDS WALLOP DALLAS

DALLAS, Tex., April 9 (AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals recovered their batting eyes today and pounded out a 10 to 2 victory over the Dallas Rebels of the Texas League. The World's Champions and the Dixie champions thus split even in their two-game series.

ST. LOUIS (N) .....341 000 011—10 13 0
DALLAS (TL) .....200 000 000— 2 9 2
Beazley, Burkhardt (4), Wilks (8) and Rice, Wilber; Giebell, Hinrichs (7), Moore (8), Phillips (9) and Cola.

At Brooklyn: Montreal (IL) vs Brooklyn (NL), cancelled, rain.

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Flatbush Faithful Register Protest At Leo's Ban

By ALLAN FISHER

NEW YORK, April 9 (AP) — The flatbush baseball faithful who lost their Leo the Lip today reacted to the loss with an uproar of protest such as not even the most brazen umpire ever has had to face.

"I don't believe it . . ."

"You're kidding me . . ."

"They can't do that to Leo . . ."

This was the initial, incredulous reaction of Brooklyn's man-in-the-street to the news that Baseball Commissioner A. B. Chandler had suspended Leo Durocher, manager of the Dodgers, for 1947.

George Pfeifer, a clerk, said: "They'd better have their extra cops out when Chandler comes to Ebbets Field."

In the familiar Brooklyn patois some call English, Dodger adherents blasted Chandler's decision as unfair and woefully concurred that it probably would cost the team this year's pennant.

A few brave souls sided vociferously with the commissioner but they were in a minority.

Typical reactions were:

Harold Driscoll, student—"It's a rotten deal for Brooklyn. There's no future for the team without our Leo."

Joseph Ehrlich, bartender—"The suspension is too drastic."

James Lee, factory worker—"It's a crime."

Henry Weiking, chef—"with Lippy gone I think I will leave Brooklyn."

One of the most forthright anti-Durocher statement came from Sidney Ascher, president of the Society for the Prevention of Disparaging Remarks About Brooklyn.

Seeing no slight to Brooklyn's tender feelings in the suspension, Ascher said:

"The dopey fringe of Brooklyn may not like it but I think it is a good thing. Let's hope it may mean a long-needed housecleaning among the Dodgers."

But Ascher's remarks belonged to the definite minority among the people who claim they live on the right side of the Brooklyn bridge.

The general sentiment probably was summed up by the statement of a little fellow in the bar two blocks from Ebbets Field who said over his beer:

"We wuz robbed."

Roeders Turn Back Howells By 31 Pins

The Roeder team of the Junior Association of Commerce Bowling League defeated the Howell aggregation Tuesday night at Central YMCA 3,616 to 3,585, a margin of 31 pins in the five-game roll-off at the close of the regular season.

Excellent rolling by Carroll Boggs and Paul Roeder enabled the Roeders to overcome a 155 pin lead rolled up by Howells in the first three games. Boggs rolled 175 and Roeder 167 in the final game. The Howells won by 80 pins in the fourth game and 106 in the fifth. The scores:

HOWELLS

J. Schaidt ..	101	172	100	97	91	561
D. Moreland.	132	164	119	124	153	692
B. Kight ...	117	124	133	134	141	649
G. Howell...	185	134	179	180	120	788
Blind	78	98	63	95	75	409
Blind	90	56	114	131	95	486
Totals	703	768	708	731	675	3585

ROEDERS

P. Lear	120	132	156	181	135	724
Reinhart ...	96	113	118	131	134	592
C. Boggs...	93	98	124	139	175	629
McCracken .	78	56	63	95	75	367
P. Roeder ..	90	147	122	132	167	658
Mackey	128	176	114	133	95	646
Totals	605	722	697	811	781	3616

field and members of the various teams attended a meeting at the Goodwill Field yesterday.

Prizes will be awarded at the close of the season, Orr announced.

Softball League Is Formed In Lonaconing

LONACONING, April 9 — James "Scotty" Orr, business manager of Lonaconing's Interstate champion basketball team, has been elected president of the newly organized Softball League here. "Mouse" Thomas was chosen vice-president, and Charles Cave, secretary-treasurer.

Six teams were represented at the organization meeting and Orr stated that berths will be held open for two more clubs. Final organization will be made at a meeting in the near future.

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Most Ball Clubs To Have Earlier Starting Time

NEW YORK, April 9 (AP) — The customers at Major League baseball games will be coming home to early dinners this summer—at least while the teams are playing in the daytime.

With four clubs — the Chicago teams, Cleveland and Pittsburgh—beginning their games at 1:30 p. m., no less than 10 of the 16 big league teams will be starting at an earlier time than ever before.

The two Boston clubs have announced they will begin their weekday games at 2 p. m., the same time the New York Yankees and Brooklyn Dodgers will get their contests under way. Each of these clubs started at 2:30 last year.

The Athletics and Phillies of Philadelphia have moved up their starting time from 3:15 to 2:30 p. m., which will also be the starting time of the two St. Louis Clubs. Cincinnati and the New York Giants, Washington and Detroit will be the latest to start. The cry of "play ball" won't be heard in these cities until 3 p. m.

All night games will begin at 8:30 p. m. except in Philadelphia and in the parks of the Giants and Cardinals. The A's will start after dark contests at 9 p. m., the others a quarter of an hour earlier. Detroit, only team without lights in its park, has scheduled seven twilight games, which will start at 5:30 p. m.

Weekday doubleheaders will begin at 1:30 in every park. With the exception of the two New York clubs, the Cardinals and Pirates. All Sunday doubleheaders will start at 1:30. The Yankees and Giants will begin at 2:05 and the Cards and Pirates at 2 sharp. Brooklyn has no Sunday twin bills scheduled.

All clubs will start Saturday games the same time as on weekdays except for the Senators, Phillies, Athletics, Giants, Pirates and Cardinals. The Senators hold off until 3:15 while the others will start at 2.

Bullets Claim Title

BALTIMORE, April 9 (AP)—Robert C. (Jake) Embry, president of the Baltimore Bullets of the American Professional Basketball League, said tonight his club claims the circuit championship by default and will disband for the season after an exhibition game in Fort Wayne, Ind. Saturday.

Embry said "the season is over as far as we are concerned and we believe our record speaks for itself in claiming the title."

Pauline Betz Is Undecided About Turning Pro

PARIS, April 9 (AP)—Pauline Betz, barred from amateur tennis by the game's ruling body in the United States, arrived here from Monte Carlo today and, while still undecided about future plans, declared the suspension "sort of nudges me toward professionalism."

"I don't want to sit in a corner," said the feminine turf court champion of the United States and England, here for a few days before starting a vacation in Switzerland. "I want to play tennis. If I can't play amateur tennis then I'll play professional tennis."

"But I cannot say now either that I will remain an amateur or will turn professional," the Los Angeles star said in an interview. "I really do not know what I am going to do."

She said the U. S. Lawn Tennis Association had not notified her directly of its action yesterday in suspending her and Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Cooke of New York for planning an exhibition tour under the sponsorship of the latter's husband, Elwood Cooke.

She acknowledged that she had received a telegram last week saying her tour expense money was to be cut off while the Association "investigated" reports of the projected tour.

Miss Betz said Cooke asked her whether she would make a professional tour with Mrs. Cooke. Her answer, she said, was: "Maybe—how much would there be in it?"

As a result of that, she said, she received a telegram from the USLTA telling her that it had talked with Cooke about her "negotiations" and asking her to confirm them.

"I didn't answer that," she said. "I was not sure what they considered were negotiations, and if they had talked to Cooke, they had the story relating to my side of it.

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North End To Practice

The North End Social Club Softball team will hold a practice session at Allegany High School Field tomorrow starting at 5:45 p. m., Manager Robert "Sparky" Chisholm, announced last night.

Chisholm requests all candidates who wish to try out for the team to report tomorrow. He said he plans to try and build a young team, but that anyone who thinks he can make the team is welcome to try out.

16 Entered In Phoenix Handicap

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 9 (AP)—Sixteen horses were listed for tomorrow's $10,000 added Phoenix Handicap, feature race on Keeneland's opening card of the spring meeting.

Although most of the nominees [illegible] campaigners, the Bluegrass hardboots will be watching the performance of Faultless, star three-year-old from Calumet Farm, and one of the two Kentucky Derby eligibles slated to start.

The Phoenix will be run over the six-furlong route and is open to three-year-olds and upward.

Faultless, one of the pre-Derby favorites, was assigned 115 pounds. The other Derby eligible was Bernard Bax, Jr.'s King Bay, which drew an impost of 105 pounds.

Scott Would Like To Meet Mills

JOHANNESBURG, April 9—(AP)—Buddy Scott, Dallas, Tex., heavyweight now in South Africa, expressed a willingness today to fight Freddy Mills, British light heavyweight, here April 21.

Mills' original bout with Johnny Ralph April 14 was postponed indefinitely yesterday when Ralph fractured the little finger of his left hand.

The possibility of a Scott-Mills fight appeared remote, however, because a rival promoting agency has entered a protest that the April 21 date would interfere with another bout. Unless the conflict can be worked out, Mills will return to London without a fight.

Sunday School League To Have Banquet

The close of the 1946-47 Central YMCA Sunday School Basketball League will be celebrated with the annual banquet Monday night at 6:15 o'clock in Central YMCA gymnasium.

Honor guests will be members of Calvary Methodist (Ridgeley) team which defeated St. John's Lutheran cagers in the championship game. The Ridgeley team will receive the "Lloyd Rawlings Trophy" which was placed in competition last season and which must be won three times for permanent possession. Grace Methodist gained the first leg on the trophy.

Individual awards will also be made to the champion Calvary team, while St. John's, the runner-up, will receive the ball used in the league throughout the season.

The toastmaster will be John H. Mosner, cashier of the Second National Bank and the dinner will be served by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Y. Three hundred persons are expected to attend.

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College Baseball

Georgetown 19, American U 4.

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Tourney Dates Set

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Basketball

Association of America playoffs
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The defamation of character charge brought before Commissioner A. B. Chandler by MacPhail apparently was the one straw too many heaped on the troubled man whose woes had been piling up rapidly over the past few months.

The Commissioner heard the charges, and took the drastic action, making it clear that the action was based not alone on the one individual case but on the snowballing of publicity which he deemed not conducive to the welfare of the game.

AFTER SUSPENSION—Leo Durocher (left), suspended today for the 1947 season as manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers by Baseball Commissioner A. B. Chandler, sits with arms folded as Branch Rickey, Dodger president, puffs on a cigar during press conference in the club's Brooklyn offices after news of Chandler's decision reached them. Rickey said he is not yet ready to name a pilot to succeed Durocher. "I have an idea who it will be, but I can't tell you now", he said.

EXHIBITION GAMES

GIANTS DOWN INDIANS

HICKORY, N. C., April 9 (AP)—The New York Giants defeated the Cleveland Indians 7 to 4 in a baseball game today, advancing the National League victors to a 7-6 edge in their exhibition series with the American League Club.

NEW YORK (N)	000	001	420	7	11	1
CLEVELAND (A)	100	000	111	4	12	2

Kennedy, Carpenter (7) and Lombardi; Black, Gettel (3), Lemon (9) and Hegan, Lopez (8).

BROWNIES NIP PIRATES

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 9 (AP)—St. Louis Brownie hurlers Nelson Potter and Jack Kramer allowed the Pittsburgh Pirates 15 hits but kept them scattered as the St. Louis club won 6 to 4.

PITTSBURGH (N)	200	000	002	4	15	1
ST. LOUIS (A)	210	100	20x	6	9	0

Sewell, Singleton (4) and Jarvis; Potter, Kramer (5) and Moss.

A's WALLOP SAVANNAH

SAVANNAH, Ga., April 9 (AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics went on a hitting rampage today, pounding out 20 blows in whipping Savannah of the Sally League, 20 to 2.

PHILADELPHIA (A)	300	470	150	20	20	1
SAVANNAH (SA)	000	010	010	2	13	3

Flores, McCahan (6) and Guerra; Clyde, Bernardini (5) and Pobiak, Parks and Tanner.

PHILS TROUNCE SENATORS

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 9 (AP)—Oscar Judd cracked out a two-run homer in the second inning and Emil Verban came through with four singles today as the Philadelphia Phillies whipped the Washington Senators 8 to 2.

PHILADELPHIA (N)	121	002	101	8	14	1
WASHINGTON (A)	000	001	010	2	10	2

Judd, Hughes (7) and Seminick, Hemsley (7); Wynn, Haefner (6) and Evans.

SOX SWAMP REDS

KINGSPORT, Tenn., April 9 (AP)—The Boston Red Sox banged out five homers and 15 other hits today to roll over the Cincinnati Reds 17-6 in an exhibition game witnessed by a crowd of more than 5,000.

Sam Mele, rookie Boston outfielder, was the hitting star of the day, collecting two round-trippers and three singles in six trips to the plate.

BOSTON (A)	201	083	300	17	20	0
CINCINNATI (N)	021	000	030	6	14	0

Perriss, Johnson (8) and Wagner; Riddle, Shoun (5), Peterson (8) and Lamanno, Lakeman (8).

BRAVES BEAT BREWERS

RICHMOND, Ind., April 9 (AP)—A long outfield fly by third baseman Bob Elliott in the last of the ninth scored Connie Ryan from third base today to give the Boston Braves a 5-4 victory over their American Association farmhands, the Milwaukee Brewers.

BOSTON (N)	200	100	101	5	8	3
MILWAUKEE (AA)	030	000	001	4	12	4

Spahn, Macon (8) and Masi; Karas, Nolan (7) and Linden.

CUBS DOWN SHREVEPORT

SHREVEPORT, La., April 9 (AP)—Emil Kush and Doyle Lade, dividing the pitching duties for the Chicago Cubs, today whacked out a 7 to 0 victory over Shreveport to wind up the exhibition affairs with Texas League teams. The winners collected nine hits off four Shreveport hurlers.

CHICAGO (N)	000	230	200	7	9	0
SHREVEPORT (TL)	000	000	000	0	5	0

Kush, Lade (5) and Sheffing, Livingston (5); Dothager, Davis (4), Hill (8) and Crompton, Rossi (8).

CARDS WALLOP DALLAS

DALLAS, Tex., April 9 (AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals recovered their batting eyes today and pounded out a 10 to 2 victory over the Dallas Rebels of the Texas League. The World's Champions and the Dixie champions thus split even in their two-game series.

ST. LOUIS (N)	341	000	011	10	13	0
DALLAS (TL)	200	000	000	2	9	2

Beazley, Burkhardt (4), Wilks (8) and Rice, Wilber; Giebell, Hinrichs (7), Moore (8), Phillips (9) and Cola.

At Brooklyn: Montreal (IL) vs Brooklyn (NL), cancelled, rain.

At Kansas City: Chicago (American) and Kansas City (American Association), cancelled, rain.

Flatbush Faithful Register Protest At Leo's Ban

By ALLAN FISHER

NEW YORK, April 9 (AP) — The flatbush baseball faithful who lost their Leo the Lip today reacted to the loss with an uproar of protest such as not even the most brazen umpire ever has had to face.

"I don't believe it . . ."

"You're kidding me . . ."

"They can't do that to Leo . . ."

This was the initial, incredulous reaction of Brooklyn's man-in-the-street to the news that Baseball Commissioner A. B. Chandler had suspended Leo Durocher, manager of the Dodgers, for 1947.

George Pfeifer, a clerk, said: "They'd better have their extra cops out when Chandler comes to Ebbets Field."

In the familiar Brooklyn patois some call English, Dodger adherents blasted Chandler's decision as unfair and woefully concurred that it probably would cost the team this year's pennant.

A few brave souls sided vociferously with the commissioner but they were in a minority.

Typical reactions were:

Harold Driscoll, student—"It's a rotten deal for Brooklyn. There's no future for the team without our Leo."

Joseph Ehrilich, bartender—"The suspension is too drastic."

James Lee, factory worker—"It's a crime."

Henry Weiking, chef—"with Lippy gone I think I will leave Brooklyn."

One of the most forthright anti-Durocher statement came from Sidney Ascher, president of the Society for the Prevention of Disparaging Remarks About Brooklyn.

Seeing no slight to Brooklyn's tender feelings in the suspension, Ascher said:

"The dopey fringe of Brooklyn may not like it but I think it is a good thing. Let's hope it may mean a long-needed housecleaning among the Dodgers."

But Ascher's remarks belonged to the definite minority among the people who claim they live on the right side of the Brooklyn bridge.

The general sentiment probably was summed up by the statement of a little fellow in the bar two blocks from Ebbets Field who said over his beer:

"We wuz robbed."

Most Ball Clubs To Have Earlier Starting Time

NEW YORK, April 9 (AP) — The customers at Major League baseball games will be coming home to early dinners this summer—at least while the teams are playing in the daytime.

With four clubs — the Chicago teams, Cleveland and Pittsburgh—beginning their games at 1:30 p. m., no less than 10 of the 16 big league teams will be starting at an earlier time than ever before.

The two Boston clubs have announced they will begin their weekday games at 2 p. m., the same time the New York Yankees and Brooklyn Dodgers will get their contests under way. Each of these clubs started at 2:30 last year.

The Athletics and Phillies of Philadelphia have moved up their starting time from 3:15 to 2:30 p. m., which will also be the starting time of the two St. Louis Clubs. Cincinnati and the New York Giants, Washington and Detroit will be the latest to start. The cry of "play ball" won't be heard in these cities until 3 p. m.

All night games will begin at 8:30 p. m. except in Philadelphia and in the parks of the Giants and Cardinals. The A's will start after dark contests at 9 p. m., the others a quarter of an hour earlier. Detroit, only team without lights in its park, has scheduled seven twilight games, which will start at 5:30 p. m.

Weekday doubleheaders will begin at 1:30 in every park. With the exception of the two New York clubs, the Cardinals and Pirates. All Sunday doubleheaders will start at 1:30. The Yankees and Giants will begin at 2:05 and the Cards and Pirates at 2 sharp. Brooklyn has no Sunday twin bills scheduled.

All clubs will start Saturday games the same time as on weekdays except for the Senators, Phillies, Athletics, Giants, Pirates and Cardinals. The Senators hold off until 3:15 while the others will start at 2.

Bullets Claim Title

BALTIMORE, April 9 (AP)—Robert C. (Jake) Embry, president of the Baltimore Bullets of the American Professional Basketball League, said tonight his club claims the circuit championship by default and will disband for the season after an exhibition game in Fort Wayne, Ind. Saturday.

Embry said "the season is over as far as we are concerned and we believe our record speaks for itself in claiming the title."

Pauline Betz Is Undecided About Turning Pro

PARIS, April 9 (AP)—Pauline Betz, barred from amateur tennis by the game's ruling body in the United States, arrived here from Monte Carlo today and, while still undecided about future plans, declared the suspension "sort of nudges me toward professionalism."

"I don't want to sit in a corner," said the feminine turf court champion of the United States and England, here for a few days before starting a vacation in Switzerland. "I want to play tennis. If I can't play amateur tennis then I'll play professional tennis."

"But I cannot say now either that I will remain an amateur or will turn professional," the Los Angeles star said in an interview. "I really do not know what I am going to do."

She said the U. S. Lawn Tennis Association had not notified her directly of its action yesterday in suspending her and Mrs. Sarah Palfrey Cooke of New York for planning an exhibition tour under the sponsorship of the latter's husband, Elwood Cooke.

She acknowledged that she had received a telegram last week saying her tour expense money was to be cut off while the Association "investigated" reports of the projected tour.

Miss Betz said Cooke asked her whether she would make a professional tour with Mrs. Cooke. Her answer, she said, was: "Maybe—how much would there be in it?"

As a result of that, she said, she received a telegram from the USLTA telling her that it had talked with Cooke about her "negotiations" and asking her to confirm them.

"I didn't answer that," she said. "I was not sure what they considered were negotiations, and if they had talked to Cooke, they had the story relating to my side of it.

"Then another telegram came, saying that my amateur expense money was to be cut off.

"I came to Paris, hoping to play in the Los Angeles-Paris tournament scheduled here April 19. It doesn't look as though I'll get to play."

North End To Practice

The North End Social Club Softball team will hold a practice session at Allegany High School Field tomorrow starting at 5:45 p. m., Manager Robert "Sparky" Chisholm, announced last night.

Chisholm requests all candidates who wish to try out for the team to report tomorrow. He said he plans to try and build a young team, but that anyone who thinks he can make the team is welcome to try out.

16 Entered In Phoenix Handicap

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 9 (AP)—Sixteen horses were listed for tomorrow's $10,000 added Phoenix Handicap, feature race on Keeneland's opening card of the spring meeting.

Although most of the nominees [illegible] campaigners, the Bluegrass hardboots will be watching the performance of Faultless, star three-year-old from Calumet Farm, and one of the two Kentucky Derby eligibles slated to start.

The Phoenix will be run over the six-furlong route and is open to three-year-olds and upward.

Faultless, one of the pre-Derby favorites, was assigned 115 pounds. The other Derby eligible was Bernard Bax, Jr.'s King Bay, which drew an impost of 105 pounds.

Scott Would Like To Meet Mills

JOHANNESBURG, April 9—(AP)—Buddy Scott, Dallas, Tex., heavyweight now in South Africa, expressed a willingness today to fight Freddy Mills, British light heavyweight, here April 21.

Mills' original bout with Johnny Ralph April 14 was postponed indefinitely yesterday when Ralph fractured the little finger of his left hand.

The possibility of a Scott-Mills fight appeared remote, however, because a rival promoting agency has entered a protest that the April 21 date would interfere with another bout. Unless the conflict can be worked out, Mills will return to London without a fight.

SUKEFORTH WILL MANAGE DODGERS IN TODAY'S GAME

BROOKLYN, April 9 (AP)—Clyde Sukeforth, Brooklyn coach, tonight was named to manage the Dodgers in their exhibition game with the Montreal Royals at Ebbets Field tomorrow. For this game only, Sukeforth, a former big league catcher, scout and minor league pilot, will fill in the spot left open by the suspension of Leo Durocher for the 1947 season.

The announcement of Sukeforth's appointment for the day was made by Arthur Mann, assistant to Club President Branch Rickey.

Whether the 44-year-old Sukeforth will be handed the reins of the colorful Dodgers for the regular season which opens Tuesday only Rickey and his brain trust knows.

Shortly after he was informed of Baseball Commissioner A. B. Chandler's suspension of Durocher, Rickey was asked who would manage the Dodgers.

"I have an idea who it will be but I can't tell you now," Rickey replied.

Besides Sukeforth those believed to be in the contention for the job include Coach Ray Blades and Scout John (Pepper) Martin, the one-time "Wild Horse of the Osage" in the days of the St. Louis Cardinals' Gas House gang.

Tourney Dates Set

NEW YORK, April 9—(AP)—The World Professional Grass Court Tennis Championships will be held at Forest Hills, June 23-29, it was announced today by Tony Owen, president of the World Professional Tennis League.

Basketball

Association of America playoffs

New York 93, Cleveland 71. (New York wins series, 2-1).

Sunday School League To Have Banquet

The close of the 1946-47 Central YMCA Sunday School Basketball League will be celebrated with the annual banquet Monday night at 6:15 o'clock in Central YMCA gymnasium.

Honor guests will be members of Calvary Methodist (Ridgeley) team which defeated St. John's Lutheran cagers in the championship game. The Ridgeley team will receive the "Lloyd Rawlings Trophy" which was placed in competition last season and which must be won three times for permanent possession. Grace Methodist gained the first leg on the trophy.

Individual awards will also be made to the champion Calvary team, while St. John's, the runner-up, will receive the ball used in the league throughout the season.

The toastmaster will be John H. Mosner, cashier of the Second National Bank and the dinner will be served by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Y. Three hundred persons are expected to attend.

Cabbies To Practice

Manager John Mangus has called a practice session of the Astor Cab Softball team of the City Softball League for Friday at 5:30 p. m. at the Fort Hill Field.

College Baseball

Georgetown 19, American U 4.

Softball League Is Formed In Lonaconing

LONACONING, April 9 — James "Scotty" Orr, business manager of Lonaconing's Interstate champion basketball team, has been elected president of the newly organized Softball League here. "Mouse" Thomas was chosen vice-president, and Charles Cave, secretary-treasurer.

Six teams were represented at the organization meeting and Orr stated that berths will be held open for two more clubs. Final organization will be made at a meeting in the near future.

The Goodwill Fire Company has donated its lot for use as a playing field and members of the various teams attended a meeting at the Goodwill Field yesterday.

Prizes will be awarded at the close of the season, Orr announced.

Roeders Turn Back Howells By 31 Pins

The Roeder team of the Junior Association of Commerce Bowling League defeated the Howell aggregation Tuesday night at Central YMCA 3,616 to 3,585, a margin of 31 pins in the five-game roll-off at the close of the regular season.

Excellent rolling by Carroll Boggs and Paul Roeder enabled the Roeders to overcome a 155 pin lead rolled up by Howells in the first three games. Boggs rolled 175 and Roeder 167 in the final game. The Howells won by 80 pins in the fourth game and 106 in the fifth. The scores:

HOWELLS						
J. Schaidt	101	172	100	97	91	561
D. Moreland	132	164	119	124	153	692
B. Kight	117	124	133	134	141	649
G. Howell	185	154	179	150	120	788
Blind	78	98	63	95	75	409
Blind	90	56	114	131	95	486
Totals	703	768	708	731	675	3585
ROEDERS						
P. Lear	120	132	156	181	135	724
Reinhart	96	117	118	131	134	592
C. Boggs	93	98	124	139	175	629
McCracken	78	56	63	95	75	367
P. Roeder	90	147	122	132	167	658
Mackey	128	176	114	133	95	646
Totals	605	722	697	811	781	3616

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TODAY'S SELECTIONS

By BUCK WEAVER
The Louisville Times

GULFSTREAM (FAST)
1—Abogado, Liberoy Pan, Sir Echo.
2—Toy Bomb, Mr. Flip, Valdina Bright.
3—True Note, Gay Tulip, Fionne.
4—Puritan, Prancing Ted, Noahvale.
5—Enchanting, High Air, Suncland.
6—Hemlock, Skeleton, Golden Arrow.
7—Reno, Laughing Brook, Chic Chic.
8—Mayfair & Mae Kay entry, Bachelor Boy, Show.
BEST BET—Reno.

BOWIE (HEAVY)
1—Candle Ends, Sir Jerome, Chislam.
2—Breakage, Black Bass, Protector.
3—History Maker, Gallant Doc, Copy Boy.
4—No selections.
5—Ariel Song, East, Orange Blossom.
6—One Only, Singular, Jousting Match.
7—Well Repaid, Her Reply, Sun Chevie.
8—Mr. Grundy, Valcina Bina, Golden Message.
BEST BET—One Only.

KEENELAND (FAST)
1—No selections.
2—Try Flying, Rockwood Boy, Hy Rickey.
3—Koviarose, High Ego, Sugar Beet.
4—Tiger Flash, Monte's Ace, Belmont Beauty.
5—Peppy Nell, Pelure, Black Tweetie.
6—Ariel Ace, Pellicle, Faultless.
7—Little Priss, Cid Play, Always.
8—Five Bills, Alpine King, Donafel.
BEST BET—Peppy Nell.

JAMAICA (SLOPPY)
1—Dont Quote Me, Grand Entry, Eventide.
2—Mighty Master, Swimmin Hole, Naval Station.
3—Applan Via, Chantoosy, Challe.
4—Archer, Amlick, Uncle Byron.
5—King Dorsett, Coincidence, Scholarship.
6—Irenic, Mr. Dodo, Auspicious.
7—Air Power, His Daughter, Right Happy.
BEST BET—King Dorsett.

CONSENSUS JAMAICA (CLEAR & GOOD)
(By The Associated Press)
1—No selections.
2—Swimmin Hole, Mighty Master, Naval Station.
3—Chantoosy, Challe, Sweepstake.
4—Archer, Shush, Dana Flash.
5—Scholarship, King Dorsett, Coincidence.
6—Mr. Dodo, Auspicious, Jeanne Belle.
7—Oatmeal, Air Power, Right Happy.
BEST BET—Oatmeal.

GULFSTREAM (FAST TRACK)
(By The Associated Press)
1—Sir Echo, Liberty Pan, Bagnell.
2—Valdina Bright, Ttintia, Figarose.
3—Dauntless Gal, Green Crystal, True Note.
4—Prancing Ted, Puritan, Glorious Sec.
5—Enchanting, High Air, Whimsical Lady.
6—Skeleton, Hemlock, Bowstring.
7—Laughing Brook, High Kick, Chic Chic.
8—Mayfair-Mae Kay entry, Piplad, One Century.
BEST BET—Laughing Brook.

BOWIE CONSENSUS (MUDDY)
(By The Associated Press)
1—Candle Ends, Gay Venture, Angel Cholly.
2—Oceania, Breakage, Ina Belle.
3—Rakemup, Milkmouse, Sandlapper.
4—Gay Reveler, Cathie Jean, Little Bobby.
5—Ariel Song, Anatolia, East.
6—Singular, One Only, Jousting Match.
7—Well Repaid, Chalupa, Conliass.
8—Patience, Mr. Grundy, Valdina Bina.
BEST BET—Ariel Song.

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xAngel Cholly	106	xTown Camp	101
xLady Leaopa	104	Chance Fair	111
Huntlands	111	Matakom	111
Candle Ends	111	Gay Venture	111
Red Scout	109	Black Flame	111
xChislam	115		

2—$2,500, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

xBrown Ruin	112	Ina Belle	111
Breakage	120	xBig Bid	115
Grey Del.	120	Black Bass	122
xFair Reward	109	xProtector	115
Bold Boy	114	Oceania	115

3—$2,500, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

Rainis	117	xCopy Boy	117
Milkmouse	115	Spains Armada	114
Bramblette	115	xWater Level	109
xGallant Doc	117	Chamade	109
Sandlapper	120	Rakemup	120
History Maker	122		

4—$2,500, claiming, 2, 4 f.

Bitter Sea	108	One Play	108
xConnie Morse	103	Ringside Table	108
Abbes First	108	Phardine	111
Cathie Jean	111	Gay Reveler	114
Feather Briar	108	Hallzan	111
Raking	111	a-Punxsy	108
a-Little Bobby	111		

a-Bobanet Stable entry.

5—$4,000, allowances, 4 and up, 6 f.

Anatolia	108	Ghazala	105
East	111	Orange Blossom	105
Tear Drop	105	Ariel Song	111
Miss War	108		

6—$3,500, allowances, 3 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Charles Bennie	109	xGalamilk	99
Singular	117	xFeather Bob	112
Jousting Match	115	One Only	114
xJean Play	115		

7—$3,000, claiming, 4 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Well Repaid	118	Sun Chevie	113
xLucy S.	104	xHer Reply	104
Conliass	109	xChalupa	102

8—$2,500, claiming, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

a-Mr. Grundy	117	xValdina Bina	101
Imperious Fox	114	xGolden Message	104
a-Topper	115	Helpsweep	111
xCharming Hero	106	Running Riot	106
xFiery Steel	115	xWaza Walla	105
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BOWIE

1—Free Son, R. Root 19.20, 9.00, 6.00; Lagalla, H. Keene 3.80, 2.40; Rock Time, S. Manley 4.80. Time 152 1/5.

2—Regained, W. Demar 6.40, 3.80, 2.80; Whizz Happy, M. Sarno 5.20, 3.40; The Bagel, A. Kirkland 3.00. Time 113 4/5.

3—Gay Town, W. L. Taylor 22.40, 12.60, 7.40; Big Teddy, J. Breen 11.40, 8.40; Poochanelli, A. Gray 6.40. Time 114.

4—Ginargie, M. Sarno 9.00, 5.00, 3.80; Flysolate, F. Dodge 8.40, 4.60; Rip Away, Z. Fayard 4.00. Time 113 2/5.

5—Brandy Punch, C. Kirk 4.00, 3.60, 2.60; Romanette, W. L. Taylor 3.40, 2.80; Sunsation, J. R. Layton 3.80. Time :47 1/5.

6—On The River, F. Lullo 6.00, 4.20, 2.40; Darby D-Day, A. Kirkland 6.20, 2.80; Noble One, H. Sconza 2.20. Time 145 4/5.

7—Robert E Lee, C. Kirk 6.60, 3.40, 2.60; His Nickel, A. Gray 3.60, 2.40; Lochness, J. DeWitt 3.00. Time 159.

8—Jamesborough, J. Chorato 6.60, 4.20, 3.80; Jacovo Mexico, W. Demar 9.00, 6.80; Bass Fiddle, F. Lullo 6.00. Time 152 3/5.

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1—My Request, R. Nash 8.70, 4.20, 3.10; Musician, J. Jessop 2.70, 2.30; Beach Boy, H. B. Wilson 3.30. Time 59 2/5.

2—Dark Flame, C. Givens 24.40, 11.30, 7.00; Isatin, L. Olah 10.10, 5.90; Boy Soldier, J. Jessop 8.90. Time 113.

3—Roman Road, T. May 52.10, 17.50, 7.30; Empty Noose, B. James 9.90, 5.30; Roman Runner, J. Jessop 3.90. Time 100 4/5.

4—End Of Strife, S. Clark 6.60, 3.30, 2.50; Johnny Dimick, W. Mehrtens 3.30, 2.30; Trapeze, T. Atkinson 2.30. Time 112.

5—Florencia, T. Atkinson 14.50, 5.50, 4.30; Republican, J. Rienzi 3.80, 3.20; Excelente, W. Mehrtens 5.60. Time 145 3/5.

6—Pristine, O. Scurlock 40.80, 9.50, 5.00; Ericeron, B. James 3.80, 3.00; Bright Sword, E. Arcaro 3.50. Time 112.

7—Narcissus, J. Sneller 12.20, 4.80, 3.20; Challarker, W. Weingart 3.60, 2.50; Flowing Oil, O. Scurlock 3.00. Time 148 4/5.

GULFSTREAM

1—Night Porter, J. Robertson 10.70, 5.20, 4.40; Altuce, R. Bendinilli 7.30, 5.10; War Atlas, R. Keane 7.20. Time 145 4/5.

2—Bob O'Sullivan, M. N. Gonzalez 5.10, 3.20, 2.50; Stagey Miss, J. Roberson 4.10, 3.30; Rosemere Dee, H. Mora 5.60. Time 111 3/5.

3—Silver Putter, M. Buxton 10.40, 4.70, 3.70; Markight, J. Sout 3.70, 3.30; Miami Bruce, G. Potter 3.20. Time :54 2/5.

4—Sweeteena, H. Mora 5.60, 3.70, 3.30; Golden Legend, D. Hux 20.20, 7.60; Mayr's Dell, M. Basile 3.40. Time 124 3/5.

5—Transair, M. Basile 17.60, 7.60, 5.00; Can't Catch Me, M. Buxton 4.10, 3.10; Gilded Trump, R. Bernhardt 9.30. Time 111 4/5.

6—Turbine, M. Basile 3.50, 2.80, 2.40; Green Shed, J. Robertson 5.70, 4.10; Bug Juice, J. Stout 3.30. Time 110 (equals track record).

7—Santa Claus, J. Wagner 7.70, 3.10, 2.80; Valding Craft, R. Fair 3.10, 2.80; Boatman, J. Robertson 4.80. Time 144 2/5.

8—Scottsville, F. Zehr 5.70, 3.90, 3.10; Rush Act, C. Rogers 8.50, 6.00; Legislator, J. Richards 5.00. Time 110 2/5.

9—Mister Chat, M. Basile 7.20, 4.50, 3.40; Tellmehow, C. Rogers 5.90, 5.20; Gayward, P. Roberts 4.60. Time 151 3/5.

O'Sullivan paid $50.60 for $2.

DAILY DOUBLE—Night Porter and Bob

YESTERDAY'S SCRATCHES

JAMAICA: 2—J. F. Curry, My Malcha, Copper Boy, Proposition; 3—Hyson; 4—Fascination, Harding F., Good-Bye, Lenwell, Atom Buster; 5—Edemgee, Bell The Cat, Damos; 6—Febridge, Sea Wolf, Houlgate, Willing Spirit; 7—Danna Like, Mr. Dodo.

BOWIE: 1—Black Flame, Tatu; 2—Send Off, Okamsel, Big Buster, Big Dub; 3—Chamade, Ideal Gift, Shes Scotch, Ferry Command, Sandlapper, Land Cruiser, Anne Again; 5—Tres Chic, Mary Ann, Brown Fox, Wianno Lad, Turning Point; 6—Ring The Bell; 7—Mason Dixon; 8—V. Day, Gent O Day, Royal Whirl, Riverbank.

GULFSTREAM: 1—Winnpearl, Damions Maid, Spring Tornado, Surfside, Histrionic; 2—Michigander, Lantern, Little Bunny, Shoeless Lass, Tropea; 4—Countess Wise, Tintia, Little Lady, Elcan, Dauntless Gal; 5—Flagalapa, Helene, Dolly Zac; 6—Gold Mike, Gregalach, O K Ruby; 7—Plucky Boy, Lusty Tidbit, Return Call, Dixie Sweep, Winsome Lad.

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Feather Fine	116	Hilltopper	116
Blue Helen	116	a-Loriot	116
Brushy	116	Bobalee	116
xHeterist	111		

a-Hal Price Headley entry.

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xHalf Lit	110	Happy Pat	120
Three Percent	120	Wee Wee Marie	115
Hy Rickey	120	Miss Viking	115
xPug	115	xInsolate	117
Rockwood Boy	120	xProm Date	110
xTry Flying	115	xErcel	105
xLatch On	115	Mr. R. S.	110
Princess Eliza	115	Leida	115
xFlyoma	110	Town Girl	105
Geneva Lad	120	Kitty Gray	115

3—$2,250, allowances, First division, 4 y. and up, 6 f.

Royal Andrew	113	Big Brother	116
High Ego	116	xGomel	108
Lost And Found	116	Alar	116
xSugar Beet	114	Bogle	111
xKoviarose	111	Casey Jones	113

4—$2,250, allowances, 2 y., 4 f.

Tiger Flash	118	Montes Ace	118
All Or Nothing	118	Dole	114
Scipio	118	Belmont Beauty	115
xMealso	115		

5—$2,250, allowances, 3 y., 6 f.

xDelhannah	109	xSeaton Pippin	109
a-Hipparete	109	xMiss Neal	109
Black Tweetie	119	Chicle Red	114
xSir Fanar	114	Glider Pilot	119
Pappys Pride	119	Peppy Nell	114
Lucky Galla	114	Spring Fiesta	115
a-Pelure	109	Pam	109

a-Judy and Headley entry.

6—$10,000, added, The Phoenix Handicap, 3 y. and up, 6 f.

Bengal Boy	113	George Gains	118
Faultless	115	b-Letmenow	116
a-Bymeabond	120	b-Bogle	107
Dark Jungle	113	Big Brother	110
Ariel Ace	117	Bull Play	118
Jack S. L.	116	b-Pellicle	124
King Bay	105	Quintero	109
a-Barbastel	119	Juke Box	117

a-Houssels & Wiley entry; b-H. P. Headley entry.

7—$2,250, allowances, second division, 4 y. and up, 6 f.

xCid Play	114	Little Priss	111
Go Devil	119	Always	111
Pilates Miss	108	Syl's Bobby	116
Puddle Jumper	116	xBengal Boy	108
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Jetta T.	110		

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Special Pet	109	xSolid Meat	112
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Alpine King	117	Elk Hills	114
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xThe Minter	117	Five Bills	117

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1—$2,300, claiming, 4 y. and up, 6 f.

xBagnell	109	Sergeant Bob	110
Tony V.	114	Viejo	114
xMaisie Daisie	100	Macwatch	109
Saltation	110	Herodotus	110
Liberty Pan	122	Gay Rover	115
xCarlasue	100	Sir Echo	114
Abogada	110	xDissident	112
xThalel	105	Ompalo	114

2—$2,400, claiming, 4 y. and up, ⅞ m.

xSun Moss	112	Sir Jinx	116
Figarose	115	Mr. Flip	120
xNonchalanta	104	xValdina Bright	117
xValdina Math	111	Edgemere	119
xKing's Pride	115	Able Marine	122
Hidden Ace	119	xTintia	109
Toy Bomb	122		

3—$2,400, claiming, 4 y. and up, 6 f.

Gay Tulip	106	xFionne	104
xGreen Crystal	105	Little Lady	109
Dauntless Gal	111	Curler	113
True Note	113		

4—$2,400, claiming, 4 y. and up, 1 1-16 m.

Heartiest	111	Glorious Sec	118
Noahvale	113	xBillies Choice	101
Puritan	115	xBahia Honda	106
Prancing Ted	116	xLove Story	103

5—$2,700, allowances, 4 y. and up, 6 f.

Stud Poker	110	a-Sir Spic	110
Sunclad	110	a-Wink's Foroy	110
Enchanting	112	Browsley	107
Swashbie	112	xHigh Air	112
Whimsical Lady	105		

a-Winsue Farm entry.

6—$3,000, allowances, 3 y., ⅞ m.

xKay's Love	107	Hemlock	111
xSuribachi	101	xAsaider	107
Golden Arrow	111	Salomea	115
Skeleton	117	Countershock	115
Bowstring	106	Chardel	111

7—$2,500, claiming, 3 y., 1 1-16 m.

High Kick	115	Reno	110
Cmic Chic	110	Reno Uptart	112
xLaughing Brook	107	Omaha Bound	115
Happy Haste	112		

8—$2,600, claiming, 4 y. and up, 1¼ m.

xBachelor Boy	114	War Glenn	113
xShow	113	a-Brazil	121
One Century	116	Piplad	118
Gunflash	108	Speedy Show	114
a-Gremlin	121	xSir Imp	116

a-Mayfair Stable and Mae Kay Stable entry.
x—A A C.

Jamaica Entries

1—$3,500 claiming, 2 y., 5 f.

Don't Quote Me	113	Air Fire	113
Hyson	111	High Test	108
Eventide	113	Grand Entry	116

2—$3,500, claiming, 4 y. and up, 6 f.

Nick Kenney	113	Naval Station	110
Swimmin Hole	115	Whyso	119
Paper Cup	108	Mighty Master	119
Lady Apple	110	Projoe	115

3—$4,000, maidens, 3 y. 6 f.

Applan Via	115	xxa-Puff Of S'ke	110
xxa-Sweepstake	110	Flash Anna	115
Chantoosy	115	Challe	115

4—$4,000, 4 y. and up, 1 1-16 m.

Archer	122	Britanicus 3rd	122
Shush	122	Uncle Byron	120
Dansa Flash	120	Amlick	119

5—$6,500 added, The Sgt. Byrne Handicap, 3 y. and up, 6 f.

Tidy Bid	110	Scholarship	108
Coincidence	122	King Dorsett	124

6—$3,500, claiming, 3 y., 6 f.

Auxpicious	118	Charles Coty	113
Southboro	108	a-Irenic	118
xxxTown Betty	101	xxMr. Dodo	108
xxH'ds Or Tails	108	xxb-Jeanne Belle	103
a-Canada	113	xxCount Royal	108
xxb-Eternal Love	112		

a-Mrs. L. Lazare-M. H. Hecht entry; b-Mrs. E. Strauss-E. A. Strauss entry.

7—$4,000, claiming, 4 y. and up, 1⅛ m.

Omamax	114	Air Power	120
His Daughter	108	Right Happy	114
Oatmeal	117	Silver Plate	117

All horses listed according to post position.
x-3 lbs.; xx-5 lbs.; xxx-7 lbs. A A C.

KEEPING UP WITH HOLLYWOOD

By LOUELLA PARSONS

BALTIMORE, April 9 — Before Robert Donat comes to Hollywood, he'll make "Oliver Twist" at the J. Arthur Rank Studio in England. Incidentally, Donat, who suffers miserably from asthma, has several extra weeks added to his picture contracts to take care of the periods when he has severe attacks and cannot work. Just recently, Lloyds refused him or his producers, insurance on this condition.

Robert Donat

I talked with one of Donat's closest friends just before I left New York and he told me this illness will definitely affect his Hollywood career. "If he finds he's worse in California than in London he won't stay around very long," he said. Now who ever heard of anyone getting WORSE under our California sunshine?

Getting back to "Oliver Twist", it will be directed by David Lean, known as England's William Wyler.

Frank Ross leaves soon on the Queen Elizabeth for London to talk business with Rank, who will pay any price for "The Robe." He wants to make it, and if he does, he will send a company to the Holy Land to film the scenes right on the ground. There is no deal between Alex Korda and Bing Crosby, and there never was. That's all a lot of talk.

Chatter from Hollywood: The last voice to reach me long distance (before the telephone strike went on) was the sad, surprised Phil Reed's. "Gosh, Louella," he said, "I don't even know the ex-Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt—much less devoting myself to courting her. I'm just back from 10 days in Houston, playing in the tennis matches."

All right, Phil—my friend—you're so right. It was just a slip of the tongue when I linked your name with Mrs. Vanderbilt's on the air. The gent who HAS been courting her is Phil Terry, ex-husband of Joan Crawford. Guess I must have been playing tennis, too, when I got the Phils mixed up.

With her bags all packed and the tickets in hand, Betty Hutton had to cancel out her trip to Chicago to visit the in-laws because Paramount is putting her in "Dream Girl" right away.

"Sainted Sisters", supposedly the next Hutton opus, is postponed because of script trouble but MacDonald Carey holds over as her leading man.

Betty's disappointed because she wanted Ted Briskin's family to see the baby—particularly at this time, the 90th birthday of Ted's grandmother.

Snapshots of Hollywood and New York collected at random: A special plane is standing by to fly Laraine Day back for retakes on "Tycoon" when she gets in from Havana.

Olga San Juan returned that valuable locket Bill Crane gave her because it was all getting too serious.

I'm looking forward to seeing Dottie Lamour and Bill Howard when they get to Baltimore to visit his family. They leave Hollywood today.

Dennis O'Keefe just found out that he's allergic to that phony beard he's wearing in "Atlantis"—so his scenes are being held up until he grows a real one.

Peter Shaw, who used to admire Joan Crawford and before that, Lana Turner, is now admiring Pat Clark. They were dreamy eyed at the Santa Monica Mayfair.

I heard the laugh all the way from California when the brunette from Detroit, among Bob Hope's 14 favorite brunettes, got up at Ciro's the other night and said, "I want to thank RKO for spending $75,000 to bring us on this wonderful trip!"

Bob's face, which belongs to Paramount, was something to behold!

Just as I thought—Barbara Stanwyck isn't flying back to the coast with Bob Taylor. She'll train it while he planes it.

Priscilla Lane, Joe Howard, Elyse Knox and Tommy Harmon helped Rosemary Lane celebrate her birthday at the Kings.

Jimmy Stewart, who has never been to Mexico, will be on hand to take bows when "It's a Wonderful Life" opens in Mexico City, April 16.

Jean Pierre Aumont may come back here to do "The Infernal Machine", by Jean Cocteau who wrote "The Eagle Has Two Heads" for Tallulah Bankhead.

That's all today.

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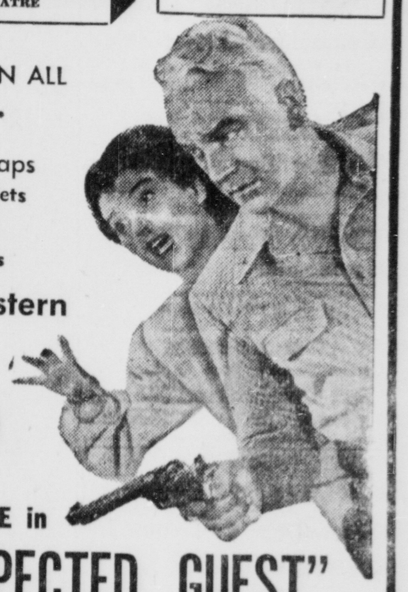

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TODAY'S SELECTIONS

By BUCK WEAVER
The Louisville Times

GULFSTREAM (FAST)

1—Abogada, Liberoy Pan, Sir Echo.
2—Toy Bomb, Mr. Flip, Valdina Bright.
3—True Note, Gay Tulip, Fionne.
4—Puritan, Prancing Ted, Noahvale.
5—Enchanting, High Air, Suneliad.
6—Hemlock, Skeleton, Golden Arrow.
7—Reno, Laughing Brook, Chic Chic.
8—Mayfair & Mae Kay entry, Bachelor Boy, Show.
BEST BET—Reno.

BOWIE (HEAVY)

1—Candle Ends, Sir Jerome, Chislam.
2—Breakage, Black Bass, Protector.
3—History Maker, Gallant Doc, Copy Boy.
4—No selections.
5—Ariel Song, East, Orange Blossom.
6—One Only, Singular, Jousting Match.
7—Well Repaid, Her Reply, Sun Chevie.
8—Mr. Grundy, Valdina Bina, Golden Message.
BEST BET—One Only.

KEENELAND (FAST)

1—No selections.
2—Try Flying, Rockwood Boy, Hy Rickey.
3—Koviarose, High Ego, Sugar Beet.
4—Tiger Flash, Monte's Ace, Belmont Beauty.
5—Peppy Nell, Pelure, Black Tweetie.
6—Ariel Ace, Pellicle, Faultless.
7—Little Priss, Cid Play, Always.
8—Five Bills, Alpine King, Donafel.
BEST BET—Peppy Nell.

JAMAICA (SLOPPY)

1—Dont Quote Me, Grand Entry, Eventide.
2—Mighty Master, Swimmin Hole, Naval Station.
3—Appian Via, Chantoosy, Challe.
4—Archer, Amlick, Uncle Byron.
5—King Dorsett, Coincidence, Scholarship.
6—Irenic, Mr. Dodo, Auspicious.
7—Air Power, His Daughter, Right Happy.
BEST BET—King Dorsett.

CONSENSUS JAMAICA (CLEAR & GOOD)
(By The Associated Press)

1—No selections.
2—Swimmin Hole, Mighty Master, Naval Station.
3—Chantoosy, Challe, Sweepstake.
4—Archer, Shush, Dana Flash.
5—Scholarship, King Dorsett, Coincidence.
6—Mr. Dodo, Auspicious, Jeanne Belle.
7—Oatmeal, Air Power, Right Happy.
BEST BET—Oatmeal.

GULFSTREAM (FAST TRACK)
(By The Associated Press)

1—Sir Echo, Liberty Pan, Bagnell.
2—Valdina Bright, Ttintia, Figarose.
3—Dauntless Gal, Green Crystal, True Note.
4—Prancing Ted, Puritan, Glorious Sec.
5—Enchanting, High Air, Whimsical Lady.
6—Skeleton, Hemlock, Bowstring.
7—Laughing Brook, High Kick, Chic Chic.
8—Mayfair-Mae Kay entry, Piplad, One Century.
BEST BET—Laughing Brook.

BOWIE CONSENSUS (MUDDY)
(By The Associated Press)

1—Candle Ends, Gay Venture, Angel Cholly.
2—Oceania, Breakage, Ina Belle.
3—Rakemup, Milkmouse, Sandlapper.
4—Gay Reveler, Cathie Jean, Little Bobby.
5—Ariel Song, Anatolia, East.
6—Singular, One Only, Jousting Match.
7—Well Repaid, Chalupa, Conliass.
8—Patience, Mr. Grundy, Valdina Bina.
BEST BET—Ariel Song.

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xLady Leaopa	104	Chance Fair	111
Huntlands	111	Matakom	111
Candle Ends	111	Gay Venture	111
Red Scout	109	Black Flame	111
xChislam	115		

2—$2,500, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

xBrown Ruin	112	Ina Belle	111
Breakage	120	xBig Bid	115
Grey Del	120	Black Bass	122
xFair Reward	109	xProtector	115
Bold Boy	114	Oceania	115

3—$2,500, claiming, 4 and up, 6 f.

Rainis	117	xCopy Boy	117
Milkmouse	115	Spains Armada	114
Bramblette	115	xWater Level	109
xGallant Doc	117	Chamade	109
Sandlapper	120	Rakemup	120
History Maker	122		

4—$2,500, claiming, 2, 4 f.

Bitter Sea	108	One Play	108
xConnie Morse	103	Ringside Table	108
Abbes First	108	Phardine	111
Cathie Jean	111	Gay Reveler	114
Feather Briar	108	Hallzan	111
Raking	111	a-Punxsy	108
a-Little Bobby	111		

a-Bobanet Stable entry.

5—$4,000, allowances, 4 and up, 6 f.

Anatolia	108	Ghazala	105
East	111	Orange Blossom	105
Tear Drop	105	Ariel Song	111
Miss War	108		

6—$3,500, allowances, 3 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Charles Bennie	109	xGalamilk	99
Singular	117	xFeather Bob	112
Jousting Match	115	One Only	114
xJean Play	115		

7—$3,000, claiming, 4 and up, 1 1-16 m.

Well Repaid	118	Sun Chevie	113
xLucy S.	104	xHer Reply	104
Conliass	109	xChalupa	102

8—$2,500, claiming, 4 and up, 1⅛ m.

a-Mr. Grundy	117	xValdina Bina	101
Imperious Fox	114	xGolden Message	104
a-Topper	115	Helpaweep	111
xCharming Hero	106	Running Riot	106
xFiery Steel	115	xWaza Walla	105
Patience	115	xFogoso	109

a-Fillman and Gladney entry.
x-5 lbs. AAC.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

BOWIE

1—Free Son, R. Root 19.20, 9.00, 6.00; Lagalla, H. Keene 3.80, 2.40; Rock Time, S. Manley 4.80, Time 152 1/5.

2—Regained, W. Demar 6.40, 3.80, 2.80; Whizz Happy, M. Sarno 5.20, 3.40; The Bagel, A. Kirkland 3.00, Time 113 4/5.

3—Gay Town, W. L. Taylor 22.40, 12.60, 7.40; Big Teddy, J. Breen 11.40, 8.40; Poochanell, A. Gray 6.40, Time 114.

4—Ginargie, M. Sarno 9.00, 5.00, 3.80; Flysolate, F. Dodge 8.40, 4.60; Rip Away, E. Fayard 4.00, Time 113 2/5.

5—Brandy Punch, C. Kirk 4.00, 2.60, 2.60; Romanette, W. L. Taylor 3.40, 2.80; Sunsation, J. R. Layton 3.80, Time :47 1/5.

6—On The River, F. Lullo 6.00, 4.20, 2.40; Darby D-Day, A. Kirkland 6.20, 2.80; Noble One, H. Sconza 2.20, Time 145 4/5.

7—Robert E Lee, C. Kirk 6.60, 3.40, 2.60; His Nickel, A. Gray 3.60, 2.40; Lochness, J. DeWitt 3.00, Time 159.

8—Jamesborough, J. Chorato 6.60, 4.20, 3.80; Jacovo Mexico, W. Demar 9.00, 6.80; Bass Fiddle, F. Lullo 6.00, Time 152 3/5.

DAILY DOUBLE—Free Son and Regained paid $92.00 for $2

JAMAICA

1—My Request, R. Nash 8.70, 4.20, 3.10; Musician, J. Jessop 2.70, 2.30; Beach Boy, H. B. Wilson 3.30, Time 59 2/5.

2—Vark Flame, C. Givens 24.40, 11.30, 7.00; Isatin, L. Olah 10.10, 5.90; Boy Soldier, J. Jessop 8.90, Time 113.

3—Roman Road, T. May 52.10, 17.50, 7.30; Empty Noose, B. James 9.90, 5.30; Roman Runner, J. Jessop 3.90, Time 100 4/5.

4—End Of Strife, S. Cgark 6.60, 3.30, 2.50; Johnny Dimick, W. Mehrtens 3.30, 2.30; Trapeze, T. Atkinson 2.30, Time 112.

5—Florencia, T. Atkinson 14.50, 5.50, 4.30; Republican, J. Rienzi 3.80, 3.20; Excelente, W. Mehrtens 5.60, Time 145 3/5.

6—Pristine, O. Scurlock 40.80, 9.50, 5.00; Ericeron, B. James 3.80, 3.00; Bright Sword, E. Arcaro 3.50, Time 112.

7—Narcissus, J. Sneller 12.20, 4.80, 3.20; Challarker, W. Weingart 3.60, 2.50; Flowing Oil, O. Scurlock 3.00, Time 148 4/5.

GULFSTREAM

1—Night Porter, J. Robertson 10.70, 5.20, 4.40; Altuce, R. Bendinilli 7.30, 5.10; War Atlas, R. Keane 7.20, Time 145 4/5.

2—Bob O'Sullivan, M. N. Gonzalez 5.10, 3.20, 2.50; Stagey Miss, J. Roberson 4.10, 3.30; Rosemere Dee, H. Mora 5.60, Time 111 3/5.

3—Silver Putter, M. Buxton 10.40, 4.70, 3.70; Markright, J. Sout 3.70, 3.30; Miami Bruce, G. Potter 3.20, Time :54 2/5.

4—Sweeteena, H. Mora 5.60, 3.70, 3.30; Golden Legend, D. Hux 20.20, 7.60; Mayr's Dell, M. Basile 3.40, Time 124 3/5.

5—Transair, M. Basile 17.60, 7.60, 5.00; Can't Catch Me, M. Buxton 4.10, 3.10; Gilded Trump, R. Bernhardt 9.30, Time 111 4/5.

6—Turbine, M. Basile 3.50, 2.80, 2.40; Green Shed, J. Robertson 5.70, 4.10; Bug Juice, J. Stout 3.30, Time 110 (equals track record).

7—Santa Claus, J. Wagner 7.70, 3.10, 2.80; Valding Craft, R. Fair 3.10, 2.80; Boatman, J. Robertson 4.80, Time 144 2/5.

8—Scottsville, F. Zehr 5.70, 3.90, 3.10; Rush Act, C. Rogers 8.50, 6.00; Legislator, J. Richards 5.00, Time 110 2/5.

9—Mister Chat, M. Basile 7.20, 4.50, 3.40; Tellmehow, C. Rogers 5.90, 5.20; Gayward, P. Roberts 4.60, Time 151 3/5.

O'Sullivan paid $50.60 for $2.

DAILY DOUBLE—Night Porter and Bob

YESTERDAY'S SCRATCHES

JAMAICA: 2—J. F. Curry, My Malcha, Copper Boy, Proposition; 3—Hyson; 4—Fascination, Harding F., Good-Bye, Lenwell, Atom Buster; 5—Edemgee, Bell The Cat, Damos; 6—Febridge, Sea Wolf, Houlgate, Willing Spirit; 7—Danna Like, Mr. Dodo.

BOWIE: 1—Black Flame, Tatu; 2—Send Off, Okamsel, Big Buster, Big Dub; 3—Chamade, Ideal Gift, Shes Scotch, Ferry Command, Sandlapper, Land Cruiser, Anne Again; 5—Tres Chic, Mary Ann, Brown Fox, Wianno Lad, Turning Point; 6—Ring The Bell; 7—Mason Dixon; 8—V. Day, Gent O Day, Royal Whirl, Riverbank.

GULFSTREAM: 1—Winnpearl, Damions Maid, Spring Tornado, Surfside, Histrionic; 2—Michigander, Lantern, Little Bunny, Shoeless Lass, Tropea; 4—Countess Wise, Tintia, Little Lady, Eican, Dauntless Gal; 5—Flagalapa, Helene, Dolly Zac; 6—Gold Mike, Gregalach, O K Ruby; 7—Plucky Boy, Lusty Tidbit, Return Call, Dixie Sweep, Winsome Lad.

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1—$2,000, allowances, 2 y., 4 f.

Bewitch	116	a-Penniless	116
xTigerita	113	Hadoyou	116
Say Please	116	Play Again	116
Peacher Pine	116	Hilltopper	116
Blue Helen	116	a-Lorios	116
Brushy	116	Bobalee	116
xHeterist	111		

a-Hal Price Headley entry.

2—$1,500, claiming, 3 y. and up, 6 f.

xHalf Lit	110	Happy Pat	120
Three Percent	120	Wee Wee Marie	115
Hy Rickey	120	Miss Viking	115
xPug	115	xInsolate	117
Rockwood Boy	120	xProm Date	110
xTry Flying	115	xErcel	105
xLatch On	115	Mr. R. S.	110
Princess Eliza	115	Leida	115
xFlyoma	110	Town Girl	105
Geneva Lad	120	Kitty Gray	115

3—$2,250, allowances, First division, 4 y. and up, 6 f.

Royal Andrew	113	Big Brother	116
High Ego	116	xGomel	108
Lost And Found	116	Alar	116
xSugar Beet	114	Bogle	111
xKoviarose	111	Casey Jones	113

4—$2,250, allowances, 2 y., 4 f.

Tiger Flash	118	Montes Ace	118
All Or Nothing	118	Dole	114
Scipio	118	Belmont Beauty	115
xMealso	115		

5—$2,250, allowances, 3 y., 6 f.

xDelhannah	109	xSeaton Pippin	109
a-Hipparete	109	xMiss Neal	109
Black Tweetie	119	Chicle Red	114
xSir Fanar	114	Glider Pilot	119
Pappys Pride	119	Peppy Nell	114
Lucky Galla	114	Spring Fiesta	115
a-Pelure	109	Pam	109

a-Judy and Headley entry.

6—$10,000, added, The Phoenix Handicap, 3 y. and up, 6 f.

Bengal Boy	113	George Gains	118
Faultless	115	b-Letmenow	116
a-Bymeabond	120	b-Bogie	107
Dark Jungle	113	Big Brother	110
Ariel Ace	117	Bull Play	118
Jack S. L.	116	b-Pellicle	124
King Jay	105	Quintero	109
a-Barbastel	119	Juke Box	117

a-Houssels & Wiley entry; b-H. P. Headley entry.

7—$2,250, allowances, second division, 4 y. and up, 6 f.

xCid Play	114	Little Priss	111
Go Devil	119	Always	111
Pilates Miss	108	Syl's Bobby	116
Puddle Jumper	116	xBengal Boy	108
Sable Star	108	Lamme	114
Jetta T.	110		

8—$1,750, claiming, 4 y. and up, 1 1-16 m.

Special Pet	109	xSolid Meat	112
On The Double	109	Liason	109
Alpine King	117	Elk Hills	114
xAguilucho	112	xDonafel	109
xThe Minter	117	Five Bills	117

x—5 lbs. A A C.

Gulfstream Entries

1—$2,300, claiming, 4 y. and up, 6 f.

xBagnell	109	Sergeant Bob	110
Tony V.	114	Viejo	114
xMaisie Daisie	100	Macwatch	109
Saltation	110	Herodotus	110
Liberty Pan	122	Gay Rover	115
xCarlasue	100	Sir Echo	114
Abogada	110	xDissident	112
xThalei	105	Ompalo	114

2—$2,400, claiming, 4 y. and up, ⅞ m.

xSun Moss	112	Sir Jinx	116
Figarose	115	Mr. Flip	120
xNonchalanta	104	xValdina Bright	117
xValdina Math	111	Edgemere	119
xKing's Pride	115	Able Marine	122
Hidden Ace	119	xTintia	109
Toy Bomb	122		

3—$2,400, claiming, 4 y. and up, 6 f.

Gay Tulip	106	xFionne	104
xGreen Crystal	105	Little Lady	109
Dauntless Gal	111	Curler	113
True Note	113		

4—$2,400, claiming, 4 y. and up, 1 1-16 m.

Heartiest	111	Glorious Sec	118
Noahvale	113	xBillies Choice	101
Puritan	115	xBahia Honda	106
Prancing Ted	116	xLove Story	103

5—$2,700, allowances, 4 y. and up, 6 f.

Stud Poker	110	a-Sir Spic	110
Sunclad	110	a-Wink's Foroy	110
Enchanting	112	Browsley	107
Swashbie	112	xHigh Air	112
Whimsical Lady	105		

a-Winsue Farm entry.

6—$3,000, allowances, 3 y., ⅞ m.

xKay's Love	107	Hemlock	111
xSuribachi	101	xAsaider	107
Golden Arrow	111	Salomea	115
Skeleton	117	Countershock	115
Bowstring	106	Chardel	111

7—$2,500, claiming, 3 y., 1 1-16 m.

High Kick	115	Reno	110
Cmic Chic	110	Reno Uptart	112
xLaughing Brook	107	Omaha Bound	115
Happy Haste	112		

8—$2,600, claiming, 4 y. and up, 1¼ m.

xBachelor Boy	114	War Glenn	113
xShow	113	a-Brazil	121
One Century	116	Piplad	118
Gunflash	108	Speedy Show	114
a-Gremlin	121	xStr Imp	116

a-Mayfair Stable and Mae Kay Stable entry.
x—A A C.

Jamaica Entries

1—$3,500 claiming, 2 y., 5 f.

Don't Quote Me	113	Air Fire	113
Hyson	111	High Test	108
Eventide	113	Grand Entry	116

2—$3,500, claiming, 4 y. and up, 6 f.

Nick Kenney	113	Naval Station	110
Swimmin Hole	115	Whyso	119
Paper Cup	108	Mighty Master	119
Lady Apple	110	Projoe	115

3—$4,000, maidens, 3 y. 6 f.

Appian Via	115	xxa-Puff Of Smoke	110
xxa-Sweepstake	110	Flash Anna	115
Chantoosy	115	Challe	115

4—$4,000, 4 y. and up, 1 1-16 m.

Archer	122	Britanicus 3rd	122
Shush	122	Uncle Byron	120
Dansa Flash	120	Amlick	119

5—$6,500 added, The Sgt. Byrne Handicap, 3 y. and up, 6 f.

Tidy Bid	110	Scholarship	108
Coincidence	122	King Dorsett	124

6—$3,500, claiming, 3 y., 6 f.

Auxpicious	118	Charles Coty	113
Southboro	108	a-Irenic	118
xxxTown Betty	101	xxMr. Dodo	108
xxH'ds Or Tails	108	xxb-Jeanne Belle	103
a-Canada	113	xxCount Royal	108
xxb-Eternal Love	112		

a-Mrs. L. Lazare-M. H. Hecht entry; b-Mrs. E. Strauss-E. A. Strauss entry.

7—$4,000, claiming, 4 y. and up, 1⅛ m.

Omamax	114	Air Power	120
His Daughter	108	Right Happy	114
Oatmeal	117	Silver Plate	117

All horses listed according to post position.
x-3 lbs.; xx-5 lbs.; xxx-7 lbs. A A C.

KEEPING UP WITH

HOLLYWOOD

By LOUELLA PARSONS

BALTIMORE, April 9 — Before Robert Donat comes to Hollywood, he'll make "Oliver Twist" at the J. Arthur Rank Studio in England. Incidentally, Donat, who suffers miserably from asthma, has several extra weeks added to his picture contracts to take care of the periods when he has severe attacks and cannot work. Just recently, Lloyds refused him or his producers, insurance on this condition.

I talked with one of Donat's closest friends just before I left New York and he told me this illness will definitely affect his Hollywood career. "If he finds he's worse in California than in London he won't stay around very long," he said. Now who ever heard of anyone getting WORSE under our California sunshine?

Getting back to "Oliver Twist", it will be directed by David Lean, known as England's William Wyler.

Frank Ross leaves soon on the Queen Elizabeth for London to talk business with Rank, who will pay any price for "The Robe." He wants to make it, and if he does, he will send a company to the Holy Land to film the scenes right on the ground. There is no deal between Alex Korda and Bing Crosby, and there never was. That's all a lot of talk.

Chatter from Hollywood: The last voice to reach me long distance (before the telephone strike went on) was the sad, surprised Phil Reed's. "Gosh, Louella," he said, "I don't even know the ex-Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt—much less devoting myself to courting her. I'm just back from 10 days in Houston, playing in the tennis matches."

All right, Phil—my friend—you're so right. It was just a slip of the tongue when I linked your name with Mrs. Vanderbilt's on the air. The gent who HAS been courting her is Phil Terry, ex-husband of Joan Crawford. Guess I must have been playing tennis, too, when I got the Phils mixed up.

With her bags all packed and the tickets in hand, Betty Hutton had to cancel out her trip to Chicago to visit the in-laws because Paramount is putting her in "Dream Girl" right away.

"Sainted Sisters", supposedly the next Hutton opus, is postponed because of script trouble but MacDonald Carey holds over as her leading man.

Betty's disappointed because she wanted Ted Briskin's family to see the baby—particularly at this time, the 90th birthday of Ted's grandmother.

Snapshots of Hollywood and New York collected at random: A special plane is standing by to fly Laraine Day back for retakes on "Tycoon" when she gets in from Havana.

Olga San Juan returned that valuable locket Bill Crane gave her because it was all getting too serious.

I'm looking forward to seeing Dottie Lamour and Bill Howard when they get to Baltimore to visit his family. They leave Hollywood today.

Dennis O'Keefe just found out that he's allergic to that phony beard he's wearing in "Atlantis"—so his scenes are being held up until he grows a real one.

Peter Shaw, who used to admire Joan Crawford and before that, Lana Turner, is now admiring Pat Clark. They were dreamy eyed at the Santa Monica Mayfair.

I heard the laugh all the way from California when the brunette from Detroit, among Bob Hope's 14 favorite brunettes, got up at Ciro's the other night and said, "I want to thank RKO for spending $75,000 to bring us on this wonderful trip!"

Bob's face, which belongs to Paramount, was something to behold!

Just as I thought—Barbara Stanwyck isn't flying back to the coast with Bob Taylor. She'll train it while he planes it.

Priscilla Lane, Joe Howard, Elyse Knox and Tommy Harmon helped Rosemary Lane celebrate her birthday at the Kings.

Jimmy Stewart, who has never been to Mexico, will be on hand to take bows when "It's a Wonderful Life" opens in Mexico City, April 16.

Jean Pierre Aumont may come back here to do "The Infernal Machine", by Jean Cocteau who wrote "The Eagle Has Two Heads" for Tallulah Bankhead.

That's all today.

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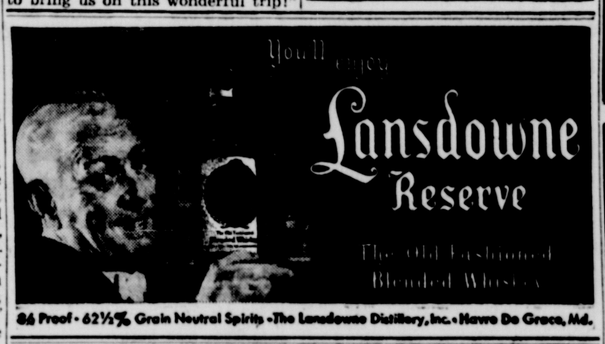

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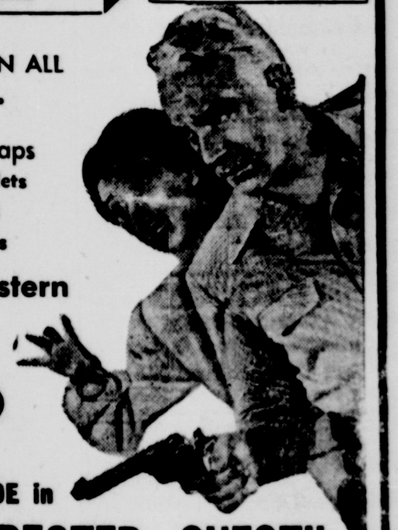

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Evening

6:00—News Report, 15 Mins.—nbc
Eric Sevareid and News—cbs
Network Silent (1 hr.)—abc-east
Terry Serial Repeat—abc-west
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Hop Harrigan Repeat—mbs-west
6:15—America Serenade; Sports—nbc
In My Opinion, Talks—cbs
Sky King Repeat—abc-west
Repeat of Superman—mbs-west
6:30—Red Barber & Sports—cbs
Jack Armstrong Repeat—abc-west
Capt. Midnight Repeat—mbs-west
6:45—Lowell Thomas Newscast—nbc
World News & Commentary—cbs
Tennessee Jed Repeat—abc-west
Tom Mix in Repeat—mbs-west
7:00—Radio's Supper Club—nbc-basic
Mystery Drama of Week—cbs
News and Commentary—abc
Fulton Lewis, Jr., Comment—mbs
7:15—News and Comment—nbc
Jack Smith Song Series—cbs
Elmer Davis Commentary—abc
Dancing Music Time—mbs-basic
7:30—Grand Marquee (R'pt 9:30)—nbc
Mr. Keen's Drama—cbs-basic
Dance Music Orchestra—other cbs
Studs Terkel Music Show—abc
Arthur Hale Comment—mbs-basic
7:45—Kaltenborn Comment—nbc-west
Brandt Sports Comment—mbs
8:00—Aldrich Family, Drama—nbc
Suspense Mystery Drama—cbs
Lum and Abner Comedy—abc
To Be Announced—mbs
8:15—News Views 15 Minutes—abc
8:30—Burns & Allen Comedy—nbc
FBI in Peace & War, Drama—cbs
America's Town Meeting—abc
Count of Monte Cristo—mbs
8:55—Five Minutes News Period—cbs
9:00—Music Hall and Eddie Foy—nbc
The Dick Haymes Show—cbs
Gabriel Heatter Comment—mbs
9:15—Real Life Drama—mbs
9:30—Jack Haley's Variety—nbc-basic
Crime Photographer, Drama—cbs
Sensational Years, Drama—abc
The Antonini Concert—mbs
10:00—Abbott and Costello—nbc
Magazine Theater & Guests—cbs
Security Workshop, Drama—abc
Family Theater, Drama—mbs
10:30—Eddie Cantor Comedy—nbc
Man Called X, Drama—cbs
Fantasy Melody Concert—abc
I Was a Convict, Anti-Crime—mbs
10:45—Earl Godwin Comment—abc
11:00—News 15 Minutes—nbc-basic
Supper Club Repeat—other nbc
News, Variety, Dance 2 hrs.—cbs
News & Dance Band Hour—abc
News, Dance Band, 2 hours—mbs
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7:00 Yawn Patrol.
7:30 News.
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8:00 World News Round-Up (NBC).
8:15 Morning Melodies.
8:45 News.
9:00 Honeymoon in New York (NBC).
9:30 Morning Meditations.
9:45 Nelson Olmsted (NBC).
10:00 Music for Thursday.
10:30 Road of Life (NBC).
10:45 Joyce Jordan, M.D. (NBC).
11:00 Fred Waring Show (NBC).
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11:45 Music at Mid-Day.
12:15 Mid-Day News.
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1:00 Sketches in Melody (NBC).
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2:15 Woman in White (NBC).
2:27 Masquerade (NBC).
2:40 Betty Crocker (NBC).
2:55 News.
3:00 Life Can Be Beautiful (NBC).
3:15 Ma Perkins (NBC).
3:30 Pepper Young's Family (NBC).
3:45 Right to Happiness (NBC).
4:00 Backstage Wife (NBC).
4:15 Stella Dallas (NBC).
4:30 Lorenzo Jones (NBC).
4:45 Young Widder Brown (NBC).
5:00 Moods in Music.
5:15 Proudly We Hail.
5:30 News.
5:35 Your Garden.
5:45 Excursions in Science.
6:00 News (NBC).
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Evening

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Eric Sevareid and News—cbs
Network Silent (1 hr.)—abc-east
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Hop Harrigan Repeat—mbs-west
6:15—America Serenade; Sports—nbc
In My Opinion, Talks—cbs
Sky King Repeat—abc-west
Repeat of Superman—mbs-west
6:30—Red Barber & Sports—cbs
Jack Armstrong Repeat—abc-west
Capt. Midnight Repeat—mbs-west
6:45—Lowell Thomas Newscast—nbc
World News & Commentary—cbs
Tennessee Jed Repeat—abc-west
Tom Mix in Repeat—mbs-west
7:00—Radio's Supper Club—nbc-basic
Mystery Drama of Week—cbs
News and Commentary—abc
Fulton Lewis, Jr., Comment—mbs
7:15—News and Comment—nbc
Jack Smith Song Series—cbs
Elmer Davis Commentary—abc
Dancing Music Time—mbs-basic
7:30—Grand Marquee (R'pt 9:30)—nbc
Mr. Keen's Drama—cbs-basic
Dance Music Orchestra—other cbs
Studs Terkel Music Show—abc
Arthur Hale Comment—mbs-basic
7:45—Kaltenborn Comment—nbc-west
Brandt Sports Comment—mbs
8:00—Aldrich Family, Drama—nbc
Suspense Mystery Drama—cbs
Lum and Abner Comedy—abc
To Be Announced—mbs
8:15—News Views 15 Minutes—abc
8:30—Burns & Allen Comedy—nbc
FBI in Peace & War, Drama—cbs
America's Town Meeting—abc
Count of Monte Cristo—mbs
8:55—Five Minutes News Period—cbs
9:00—Music Hall and Eddie Foy—nbc
The Dick Haymes Show—cbs
Gabriel Heatter Comment—mbs
9:15—Real Life Drama—mbs
9:30—Jack Haley's Variety—nbc-basic
Crime Photographer, Drama—cbs
Sensational Years, Drama—abc
The Antonini Concert—mbs
10:00—Abbott and Costello—nbc
Magazine Theater & Guests—cbs
Security Workshop, Drama—abc
Family Theater, Drama—mbs
10:30—Eddie Cantor Comedy—nbc
Man Called X, Drama—cbs
Fantasy Melody Concert—abc
I Was a Convict, Anti-Crime—mbs
10:45—Earl Godwin Comment—abc
11:00—News 15 Minutes—nbc-basic
Supper Club Repeat—other nbc
News, Variety, Dance 2 hrs.—cbs
News & Dance Band Hour—abc
News, Dance Band, 2 hours—mbs
11:15—Variety & News to 1 a.m.—nbc
12:00—Dance Band Hr.—abc-west only

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7:00 Yawn Patrol.
7:30 News.
7:35 Yawn Patrol.
8:00 World News Round-Up (NBC).
8:15 Morning Melodies.
8:45 News.
9:00 Honeymoon in New York (NBC).
9:30 Morning Meditations.
9:45 Nelson Olmsted (NBC).
10:00 Music for Thursday.
10:30 Road of Life (NBC).
10:45 Joyce Jordan, M.D. (NBC).
11:00 Fred Waring Show (NBC).
11:30 Jack Berch Show (NBC).
11:45 Music at Mid-Day.
12:15 Mid-Day News.
12:45 Words and Music (NBC).
1:00 Sketches in Melody (NBC).
1:45 Robert McCormick (NBC).
2:00 Today's Children (NBC).
2:15 Woman in White (NBC).
2:27 Masquerade (NBC).
2:40 Betty Crocker (NBC).
2:55 News.
3:00 Life Can Be Beautiful (NBC).
3:15 Ma Perkins (NBC).
3:30 Pepper Young's Family (NBC).
3:45 Right to Happiness (NBC).
4:00 Backstage Wife (NBC).
4:15 Stella Dallas (NBC).
4:30 Lorenzo Jones (NBC).
4:45 Young Widder Brown (NBC).
5:00 Moods in Music.
5:15 Proudly We Hail.
5:30 News.
5:35 Your Garden.
5:45 Excursions in Science.
6:00 News (NBC).
6:15 Serenade to America (NBC).
6:30 The Sportsman's Corner.
6:45 Treasury Guest Star.
7:00 The Supper Club (NBC).
7:15 News of the World (NBC).
7:30 Grand Marquee (NBC).
8:00 The Aldrich Family (NBC).
8:30 Burns & Allen (NBC).
9:00 The Music Hall (NBC).
9:30 Jack Haley with Eve Arden (NBC).
10:00 Abbott & Costello (NBC).
10:30 The Eddie Cantor Show (NBC).
11:00 News from NBC (NBC).
11:15 Harkness of Washington (NBC).
11:30 Harkness of Washington (NBC).
12:00 News (NBC).

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters testamentary on the estate of Sarah Ann Treiber late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof duly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 8th day of October, 1947. They may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 8th day of April, 1947.

JOHN J. TREIBER,
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All creditors of the Cumberland Sports Center, Inc., are hereby notified to file their claims, duly authenticated, with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Allegany County, Maryland, on or before April 25, 1947, as on that date, or thereafter, I will proceed to state an audit distributing certain funds which have come into the hands of William L. Wilson, Jr., Receiver in the above entitled cause.

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Work And Morale Of City Police Rapped By Heskett

Asks Commissioner For Improvement

The morale of city police officers and their performance of duty were criticized yesterday in a letter to Commissioner of Police William V. Keegan from City Solicitor Charles Z. Heskett, in which he asked for an improvement.

Heskett said that it frequently is the fault of investigating officers for the acquitals and suspended sentences that are meted out in magistrates courts and also declared that too many persons filing complaints with the department are told to "get a warrant."

"The very business of a police officer is to diligently investigate every complaint received which indicates that a city ordinance or state criminal law has been violated. If he finds reasonable cause upon which to base an honest belief that law has been violated it is the business of the officer to make an arrest X X X," Keegan was told.

Criticizes Morale

Heskett informed Commissioner Keegan that the morale of the department concerning suspended sentences and acquitals is something that should be corrected. "It ought to be remembered," Heskett wrote, "that acquitals are most frequently the result of indifferent investigations by the officers. Paroles and suspended sentences are frequently given out because the officer prosecuting the case has so poorly prepared the case by lack of investigation."

An officer has an active duty to intelligently and aggressively investigate with all throughness possible every complaint received indicating a violation, Heskett informed Keegan.

"Too often in the last several years," he stated, "I have been led to suspect that officers use the excuse "go get a warrant" in order to relieve themselves of the performance of their duties," Keegan was informed.

Heskett pointed out that an officer may be indicted for "non-feasance", for failure to perform his duty, and for failure to thoroughly investigate he may be indicted for "misfeasance."

Another point stressed by the city solicitor in his letter is the duty that officers have to perform all over the community. "In other words," he explained "it is just as much the duty of an officer assigned to the traffic department to make an arrest for some violation involving a breach in the peace or the criminal law, as it is the duty of an officer on that particularly beat. And this is likewise true of an officer assigned to a beat in South Cumberland who may by chance see some violation of the law up town."

Makes General Statement

Heskett at no time referred to any particular officer of violation that may have been committed, nor did he indicate when the incidents were brought to his attention.

Many officers are of the impression that if they do not see an offense committed they are relieved of any further responsibility, Heskett wrote.

It is not the business of the police officers to determine the punishment of persons who are convicted of violating the law, the letter stated the officers have no responsibility beyond an intelligent investigation and collection of facts concerning an offense and an intelligent presentation of it to the courts, Heskett asserted.

This, of course, does not mean that people can be arrested and put in jail on mere suspicion; it does mean, however that where there is reasonable suspicion that the officer should run the matter down in an effort to obtain sufficient evidence either by information received or by physical evidence measuring up to sound circumstantial evidence. Then it is his duty to arrest, Heskett wrote Keegan.

The letter addressed to Commissioner Keegan was written on City of Cumberland stationery and signed by Heskett.

Young Republicans Purchase Building

FROSTBURG, April 9 — The Young Men's Republican Club of Frostburg has purchased the Moose home on East Main Street, it was announced here tonight.

The Moose recently purchased a building on East Main Street from A. Charles Stewart and in turn sold their present building to the Republican Club. According to Walter Rank, secretary, the Moose will occupy their new quarters on the upper floor of the Stewart building sometime between May 15 and June 1. The Young Men's Republican Club will occupy its new home as soon as it is vacated by the Moose.

The Young Men's Republican Club was organized in 1938 by G. Kear Hosken and its first quarters were in the Reese building, Bowry Street. Later the club moved to the Gladstone Annex, West Main Street. The club has been in its present quarters on the corner of Broadway and Mechanic Street since 1941.

There are 400 members in the organization. The officers include David Bender, president; Joseph James, vice president; George F. Engle, secretary, and James Harden, treasurer.

Green Spring Workers May Take Strike Vote

Workers of the Koppers Company's tie treating plant in Green Spring, W. Va., will meet there Sunday to take action on a company wage offer, C. E. Stutzman, business manager of Local 453, Teamsters Union, said yesterday.

Stutzman said a strike vote will be taken at the meeting if the workers reject the offer but added that a strike could not take place prior to April 21. Conciliator W. F. Gantz, who attended a meeting between the company and union yesterday, will participate in the Sunday session.

Registration Of Fire Victims To Continue Today

Salvation Army Aiding Families

Eight of the 11 families made homeless in the five-alarm blaze which gutted the Reinhart Building at the corner of Virginia and Laing Avenues in South Cumberland Tuesday night, have registered with the Red Cross, and registration will continue this morning according to Mrs. Lee W. Witherup, executive secretary of the local chapter.

Praising the generosity of local merchants in giving discounts on clothing needed by the families, most of whom lost all their possessions in the fire, Mrs. Witherup said the Red Cross is issuing requisition slips for clothing, and meal tickets to the families.

New Homes Needed

Because of the response to the recent Red Cross fund campaign, which raised over $40,000 in the county, the organization is financially able to care for the families adequately and to tide them over until they can find living quarters, Mrs. Witherup said.

She asked all persons who know of available living quarters for the 37 persons made homeless by the fire to notify the Red Cross office in the Post Office Building immediately.

Maj. Elmer Wall, commanding officer of the Salvation Army, said that 12 persons were accomodated at the Salvation Army outpost on Virginia Avenue Tuesday night, and that almost twice that number were housed at the outpost last night because relatives and friends of some of the homeless persons were unable to house them indefinitely because of cramped living quarters.

The Red Cross supplied cots and blankets from emergency supplies, and arrangements were made for a physician to visit the outpost last night to made a checkup of young children if necessary.

Firemen Return To Scene

Mrs. Witherup praised the cooperation of the strike-bound Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company in putting through calls made by the Red Cross in connection with disaster work yesterday, adding that she called area headquarters of the Red Cross in Alexandria, Va., and was informed that additional assistance will be provided if needed.

Weary fire fighters from South End Fire Company stayed at the scene of the fire until after 1 o'clock yesterday morning to guard against a recurrence of the blaze.

The company returned to the site eight hours later and stayed for an hour wetting down the gutted structure.

Firemen said that when matresses and upholstered furniture ignite, it is extremely difficult to put out the blaze. The filling materials, they added, will smoulder for hours and then burst into flames.

Carpenters Union May Picket Work On Local Garage

Carpenters Local 1024 yesterday applied for four picketing permits to be used in a dispute involving an alleged violation of the apprentice training standards by the David T. Ogilvie and Son, local contractors, in the construction of the Chester L. Collins garage on Henderson Avenue, F. Patrick Allender, union business agent, said.

Allander said the contractor laid off all journeymen carpenters and is operating with four apprentices only in violation of the apprentice standards formulated jointly by local contractors and Carpenters Local 1024. The agreement concurs with the local's ratio of two journeymen for each apprentice, he added.

Without journeymen carpenters, Allender explained, there would be nobody on the job to teach apprentices and the contractor could underbid other firms since his labor would be from 37 to 50 cents less per hour due to the government subsidy.

Allender said the picketing will begin as soon as the foundation to the structure is completed unless the issue is settled by that time.

A near wage dispute on the job was averted recently when, Allender said, the contractor agreed to work in accordance with the agreement.

Allender said the union has notified the Veterans Administration that the contractor is no longer qualified to give GI apprentice training under the terms of the joint apprentice committee.

Effect Of New Sales Tax To Be Felt Soon

Marylanders will begin to feel the effect of the new sales tax, use tax and increased gasoline tax less than three months from now. The new imposts, enacted by the legislature to meet increased costs of schools, roads, police and other programs of the Lane administration, will go into effect July 1.

Housewives shopping for groceries for family consumption will not be taxed for the purchases. But purchases in department stores and furniture stores will carry a sales tax, and a similar impost, the use tax, will be charged by branch offices of out-of-state companies.

If shoppers make trips out of the state to avoid the sales tax, they will discover that the only out-of-state purchase within the general taxable fields which may be made without paying the use tax is the purchase of a commodity "not readily available in Maryland."

And motor trips for out-of-state shopping would rapidly burn up gasoline on which the driver will pay the five-cent Maryland gasoline tax, one cent more than last year.

Kimble Answers News Editorial On Two Measures

Declaring that sound reasons prompted him to disapprove of both the slot machine and wholesale liquor bills at the recent session of the Legislature, State Senator Robert B. Kimble yesterday replied to an editorial appearing in yesterday morning's edition of The Cumberland News.

At the same time Senator Kimble commented that naturally the county commissioners could not anticipate new revenue on tax bills not as yet signed for the 1947 levy due Tuesday and stated "the only possible way the county commissioners could have reduced taxes for this year would have been to collect taxes from certain corporations, that they properly should collect, but unfortunately, which they, in their wisdom, deemed advisable not to collect."

Commenting on the slot machine bill, Kimble said "I admit that I killed the bill and the only explanation is that I do not believe in taxing these machines as provided in the bill."

Declaring that the passage of the bill could have meant the blossoming of thousands of machines in the county, completely uncontrolled, Kimble stated that the bill enabled the commissioners to levy the tax on the slots without specifying how much the tax should be; declared there were no restrictions imposed whatsoever and did not provide the commissioners with the authority to regulate the machines or prohibit their use at certain locations.

"The public, in my opinion, would not go along with such complete lack of regulation", Kimble declared.

Commenting on the wholesale liquor bill, Kimble said his objections to the measure were based on the following points :

1—The bill stipulated that it would not go into operation until January 1, 1948, and consequently not one penny of revenue would be derived from the measure in 1947, if it had passed.

2—The bill provided that on December 31, 1948, the manager of the liquor dispensary would set aside 40 per cent of the net profit as a working fund and the remainder, if any, would be paid to the county commissioners on January 1, 1949. This would probably mean that no income would be derived from the measure in 1948, Kimble said, adding "so here you would have two years in which no income would be realized from the county on this venture."

3—The manager of the Montgomery county dispensary told him (Kimble) that with Allegany county only taking over the wholesale end of the business and with the possibility the county would not be able to purchase liquor from distilleries, there was a strong indication that the net profit from the dispensary, after operating expenses, would not have been sufficient to have paid the interest and made any substantial payment toward the liquidation of the original $500,000 investment.

"In view of these facts," Kimble said in answering the editorial that he should offer an explanation, "The county would not have received any revenue from the dispensary in 1947 and 1948 and it would have been a gamble if they received any in 1949. Consequently, my killing of this bill in no way affected real estate taxes in either 1948 or 1949, for under the bill the county would not have received anything."

Commenting on the tax situation as it affects the new levy for Allegany county, Kimble said that he supposed that the commissioners understood that an estimated $200,000 in additional revenue cannot be available to the county until after the state has collected the money from race track, license, income and other sources.

In view of the fact that Legislature adjourned only a few days ago and many of the new bills are still unsigned, Kimble said the county would not be able to include new revenue in the 1947 tax estimate, but added that the county will receive substantial new income from new taxation before the year is over.

"They will receive additional money this year," Kimble said, "and right now they could anticipate returns from some taxes they are now authorized to levy as a result of recent legislative action." Senator Kimble cited the pinball machine tax as one example.

"I would also like to point out that the county commissioners could have received better than $100,000 this year in additional taxes if they had not seen fit to exempt certain corporations", Kimble said.

"I for one do not care to see the commissioners place the blame on the Legislature for their own mismanagement of county affairs."

Senator Kimble, again referring to the editorial in yesterday morning's News—which stated that a very substantial tax cut could have been made on real estate if certain bills had not been killed, said "It would appear that the News editorial is attempting to completely whitewash the commissioners' management of county affairs in an attempt to place blame for the failure of certain bills to pass. As already stated by myself, the slot machine bill in my estimation was not a proper bill for the reasons set forth and the county would have received no additional revenue from the wholesale liquor bill in 1947 and 48 and possibly in 1949."

Kimble also said he wished to point out that he did not introduce any legislation at the last session that would cause the county to spend extra money for salaries, other than increased salaries for the school teachers.

"The only salary legislation submitted by me pertaining to salaries, other than that for school teachers, provided for increased salaries for Cumberland city police and firemen—which pertains to the City of Cumberland."

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Duncan, 413 Grand Avenue, announce the birth of a son in Allegany Hospital Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Burkhart, 401 Pennsylvania Avenue, announce the birth of a son Wednesday morning in Allegany Hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hahne, 1103 Oldtown Road, Wednesday morning in Memorial Hospital.

Liquor License Blanks Will Be Issued This Week

Court Clerk Says Forms Are Ordered

Although the State Liquor measure passed by the General Assembly has not yet been signed by the governor, Robert Jackson, clerk of Allegany County Circuit court, said yesterday he expects to issue application blanks to Allegany County liquor dealers this week.

If the dealers, whose licenses expire April 30 expect to open for business May 1, their applications will have to be filed before April 15, to permit thel egal publications he declared.

Blanks Ordered

Jackson said the application blanks have been ordered from the state comptroller and should arrive either today or tomorrow, but emphasized the fact that there will be no need for dealers to "begin a run on the court house" until they are notified that the applications have arrived.

Jackson said the pending measure will increase all license fees to just about double, and said a new Class D" Tavern license, which will be issued to dealers who do not serve food, will cost $1,000. Under the old system the Class B on sale license cost $300 but will now cost $600.

The new license will be issued to taverns and cocktail lounges, principally Jackson said, adding that under the old setup, these places were issued a Class B on sale license.

The new measure, if signed, will also permit nine additional licenses to be issued in the county bringing the total to 67 besides Class C licenses which are issued to clubs.

One thing is definite, the clerk said, the county will be "dry on Sundays," for the new measure specifies that neither retail dealers nor clubs will sell alcoholic beverages on Sundays.

Clerk Issues Licenses

Once the new applications are filled out they will be returned to the clerk who will submit them to the Liquor Board for approval. The clerk will then issue licenses according to the findings of the board.

While the bond will remain at $1,000 it will not have to be submitted until the license is issued under the new system, Jackson said. Under the old law the bond had to be submitted at the time of application. The new application fee has also been doubled and will be $5 to cover costs of recording and publication, he asserted.

Wrecked Truck Blocks Traffic On Route 40

A tractor and trailer hauling 16 tons of fertilizer upset on a sharp curve on the west side of Sideling Hill at 9:30 a. m. yesterday and halted several hundred other motor vehicles on Route 40 for several hours, State Police reported last night.

State Trooper William F. Baker, who assisted in the investigation, said the driver of the truck, Francis L. Gist, Westminster, lost control of the vehicle while descending the western slope.

Baker said the vehicle owned by the Thomas Gist trucking firm at Westminster, ran up a 12 to 15 foot embankment and overturned on its left side. The tractor did not overturn.

The tractor tore loose from the trailer and as the former traveled across the highway the trailer slid past it and crashed against the guardrail. The tractor came to a stop against the rear of the trailer, blocking the road. The driver, riding alone, escaped injury, except for a few slight cuts on the head.

Blocked completely until shortly after noon, Route 40 finally was open to one-way traffic until 4:30 p. m. when it was closed off for another hour to allow riggers to right the wreckage.

Fertilizer, packed in bags, had to be removed from the trailer before it could be righted and was stacked at the roadside while arrangements were made to haul it to Cumberland, police said.

Both the tractor and trailer were 1947 models, according to police, who said the trailer, completely demolished, was worth $8,000. The tractor was damaged to the extent of $2,000.

Baker said the accident occurred at the scene of a wreck last November when another tractor-trailer truck crashed through the guardrail and dropped into a creek, killing its driver, Joseph Stanley Kurtz, Baltimore.

Baker and Troopers Harold Basore and Harry Bosley investigated the accident yesterday.

Celanese Drivers Will Plan Contract

Over-the-road truck drivers at the Amcelle plant of the Celanese Corporation of America, who last Saturday voted to be represented by Local 453, Teamsters Union, will meet Saturday at noon to draw up a contract proposal to be presented to the company, C. E. Stutzman, union business agent, said.

Stutzman said the 16 drivers will use a contract which was presented to the company last August as a possible basis for contract proposals. At that time, the company refused to consider the contract since it did not recognize the union as the legal bargaining agent for the men.

Labor Groun Upbraids Lane On Sales Tax

The Legislative committee of the Western Maryland Labor Unity Conference has unanimously condemned the action of Governor Lane in forcing the sales tax upon the people of Maryland, William Boyd Coleman, chairman, said yesterday.

"We feel," Coleman said, "that the tax was forced through the legislature against the desires of the people of Maryland and the wishes of a considerable number of the legislators."

Railroads Carry Close To Normal Coal Loadings

No Sizeable Mines Working In County

Railroads operating through Cumberland reported last night that they are carrying from 75 to 90 per cent of their normal coal loadings despite reports from United Mine Workers officials that no mines of any size worked yesterday in Allegany or Garrett Counties.

The railroads said, however, that most of their coal is being loaded in West Virginia and that the best part of that loaded in Western Maryland is from strip mine operations.

Western Maryland Railway officials said their coal loadings yesterday were about 75 per cent of normal and that they expect close to 100 per cent today.

The Western Maryland said 104 cars were loaded at Chiefton, near Fairmont, W. Va., yesterday, 110 in Thomas, W. Va., district and 100 in Elk River district.

"We've been loading a lot of coal on the Cumberland Division," said a B. and O. official. He pointed out that all mines on the Cumberland Division are in West Virginia and said that loadings ran from 80 to 90 per cent of normal.

The Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad, which operates through the Georges Creek section, reported its coal loading operations about 88 per cent of normal yesterday, but said the better part of that amount was strip mined.

The Campbell Coal Company's Mill Run mine, near Barton, was open again yesterday and about a 30 per cent turnout was reported at the Hampshire mine of the same company. The Hampshire mine, which is also near Barton, had a 20 per cent turnout Tuesday, the company said. The Mill Run mine employes only 12.

In contrast to this picture all five mines of the Consolidated Fuel Company in the Frostburg area were closed yesterday. Mines 3 and 10 were ordered closed by the federal government for safety reasons. Mine No. 17 worked Monday, but not Tuesday. Mines 1 and 4 worked Monday and Tuesday but were closed yesterday.

The other county mine ordered closed, the Waynesburg operation of the George's Creek Coal Company at Lonaconing, remains closed. Robert L. Stallings, company president, said all proposed changes have been made and that a federal inspector is expected to make a check Friday.

Workmen were reported on duty in the various Consol mines making safety corrections.

Kempton Mine Closed

John P. Dolphin, international representative of the UMW, said the Kempton mine of the Davis Coal and Coke Company was not operating and that the Douglas mine, near Thomas, W. Va., was also down. He stated these are among the largest operations in the area.

The only mine of any size operating is at Ocean, according to Dolphin, Thirty-seven men are employed there. He also explained that some strip mines are not working.

The union leader admitted that strip mine production is generally above normal because a plentiful supply of railroad cars is available.

Wright Asks Permit To Enlarge Building

James W. Wright filed an appeal with the Board of Zoning Appeals yesterday for a permit to enlarge a building along the alley at the rear of 110 South Street for use as a residence.

The one-story building, formerly used as a storage shed, will be enlarged by building a three-room addition, which will be two stories high and will measure 11 by 18 feet, with a concrete foundation, frame walls and a composition roof. Prospective occupant is Wright's daughter, Mrs. Paul Davidson, 110 South Street.

G. V. Owens, 801 Lafayette Avenue, secured a permit to build a one-story 24 by 24-foot addition to the rear and side of a restaurant at 731 Virginia Avenue, at an estimated cost of $1,150. The addition will have foundation and walls of concrete block and asphalt roofing. Work will be done by M. A. Brewer.

A permit was granted to Robert R. Davis, Route 1, city, to build a one-story 28 by 44-foot building on Lot No. 655, Roberts Street, for washing cars and lubrication jobs in connection with the present service station. The building will have foundation and walls of concrete blocks and a built-up roof. Work, to be done by Paul E. Kniseley, is estimated to cost $1,600.

Two permits were secured by B. K. Lazarus of the Maryland Homes Company to enlarge rear additions at 134-136 and 130-132 Humbird Street for the installation of two bathrooms each. The enlarged 10 by 14-foot additions will have frame walls covered with inselbrick. Work will be done by the owner, and each will cost $750.

Demonstration Of Meat Cutting Is Presented

An audience of 285 persons witnessed a demonstration of meat cutting presented last night at St. Mary's recreation hall by Don R. Miller, a representative of the National Livestock and Meat Board, Chicago. The demonstration was sponsored by the Independent Retail Food Dealers Association of Western Maryland.

Miller demonstrated methods of cutting ham, pork loin, lamb and beef, and explained ways in which the meat could be cooked to best advantage. He was introduced by Albert E. Windish, president.

Cumberland is the only city of less than 100,000 population in the nation in which meat cutting demonstrations were scheduled by the Chicago board. Miller will give a similar demonstration in Washington tonight.

Reports Stolen Car

City police last night were investigating the report of a stolen 1935 Ford sedan which David H. Smith, Ridgeley, W. Va., the owner, said was taken between 6 and 7:30 p. m. from Water Street, this city.

Local 1874, TWUA, Asks Truman To Veto Portal Bill

Telegrams have been sent to President Truman asking that he veto the portal-to-portal act which has been passed by both houses of Congress, William Boyd Coleman, president of Local 1874, Textile Workers of America, CIO, said last night.

The bill, he said, would invalidate existing portal-to-portal pay claims, outlaw future claims based on activities which take place before the regular workday and would limit to two years the time within which actions would be filed, relieving employers of all liability if they "acted in good faith".

Wires have also been sent to Senators Tydings and O'Conor and to Rep. Beall asking them to sustain a presidential veto. John Edelman, TWUA legislative representative, Coleman said, advises that the votes of the two senators might be sufficient to sustain the veto in the Senate.

The TWUA local has also asked the legislators to favor the continuance of rent controls which are slated to expire soon. The local mentioned the critical housing shortage in Western Maryland as a strong argument in favor of continued rent control, Coleman said.

Charges Dropped Against 6 Persons In License Cases

Heskett Declares No Violations

Charges against six of the 10 persons arrested Tuesday night and yesterday for operating vending and pinball machines without city licenses were appearently squashed last night, and police said the bonds will likely to refunded today.

Police were at a loss to explain the disposition of the cases but said Charles Z. Heskett, city attorney, had declared that "no violation" was committed in any of the six cases and added that Heskett made entries on the docket to that effect.

Noted by each of the six names of persons who were booked following police investigation of local clubs and business places was an entry "no puplic operation involved" and signed by Heskett.

Police said they believed that Heskett who appared at headquarters "sometime last night," had ruled that clubs are not required to have city licenses on amusement devices since they are not open to the public, but none would say definitely that was the reason.

Charges apparently were dropped against John McCarthy, 142 North Centre Street, steward of the Legion of Guardsmen Club; Harold E. Hixon and John M. Fisher, of the Regal Club, 162 Baltimore Street; R. L. Emory, Jr., 10 North Lee Street; Paul Galen, 20 South Mechanic Street; A. B. Wilkinson, 23 Valley Street and Howard Carlon, 249 North Centre Street.

Two men arrested Tuesday night on the license charge forfeited bond yesterday when they failed to appear for hearings and police said as far as they knew the forfeiture would remain. The men were John Rapillo, allegedly manager of the Christopher Columbus Social Club, and John Trimble, Fulton Myers Post, No. 153.

Dino Baggatti, William Paca Club representative, was fined $5 on charges of operating a music box without a license, and police said they did not know if the Heskett decision would cause a rehearing or not.

The only person against whom charges were still preferred on the police docket last night was W. L. Sheehe, 51 North Mechanic Street, who operates a restaurant adjacent the Blue Ridge Bus terminal.

Heskett could not be reached for comment last night.

HIGHER COMPETITIVE MARKET IS PREDICTED FOR TRANSPORTATION

The transportation industry will soon be in a more highly competitive market than it is at the present time, Harry J. Carroll, general traffic manager of Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, Akron, Ohio, told members of the Tri-State Traffic Club at a dinner meeting last night.

Already, Carroll said, the situation has developed in other lines of business and should soon be felt in the transportation field. Speaking from his personal experiences in a wide field, Carroll added that transportation had done things beyond even imagination at the outbreak of World War II.

The effects of World War I had never let the industry catch up before depressions and the subsequent outbreak of the second war found the railroads in a condition that was far from sufficient in men, materials and equipment. It is vital to our future that industry and the government provide adequate safeguards for the future so that the transportation plant may be fully capable of handling whatever traffic it may be called upon to move, Carroll asserted.

Leo H. Ley, presented the docket, highlighting the April Perfect Shipping Month claim prevention work. He stated that railroads now pay five times the sum paid out in 1939 for claims and added that a drastic campaign is being set up to reduce this amount by better packing, marking, handling and transfer of all kinds of freight.

The meeting was one of the largest ever held by the Traffic Club here. Clarence E. Gehr, president, and John L. Carnochan, secretary, were in charge of arrangements.

On Yale Record

Robert C. Hardwick, chairman of the board of the Yale Record, has announced that J. Glenn Beall, Jr., class of 1950 at Yale University, has entered the business competition of the Yale Record. The Record, founded in 1872 in New Haven, is the nation's oldest college humor magazine.

Young Beall is the son of Rep. and Mrs. J. Glenn Beall, Beall's Lane, Frostburg.

Phone Workers Call Special Meeting

A special meeting of local area members of the Maryland Federation of Telephone Workers has been scheduled for 10 o'clock this morning at strike headquarters in Fort Cumberland Hotel, according to George E. Williams, telephone strike captain for Allegany, Garrett and Washington counties.

Williams said only that matters of interest to the union will be discussed. He did not elaborate further.

Meanwhile there were no developments locally as the telephone strike approached the end of its third day. However, Western Union business has advanced considerably beyond normal proportions as a result of the strike and some extra employes have been hired, according to E. F. Phillips, local Western Union manager.

Man Is Fined $10 On State Brush Burning Charge

City Offers Reward In Sunday Blazes

Charged with violating a state law pertaining to brush fires within 200 feet of woodland, Joseph B. Hardman, who lives on the west side of Iron's Mountain four miles east of Cumberland, was fined $10 in Trial Magistrates Court yesterday by Magistrate Frank A. Perdew.

Meanwhile, Mayor Thomas S. Post said yesterday that the Mayor and Council is offering a $100 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any persons found responsible for setting grass or brush fires within the city limits on Easter Sunday.

Brook Bodkin, senior forest supervisor, said Hardman started a brush fire before 4 p. m. in violation of state law which allows such burning only between the hours of 4 p. m. and midnight.

The violation took place on Monday, according to Bodkin, who added that brush burning, even between the hours of 4 p. m. and midnight must be done at a distance of at least 200 feet from woodland.

A charge of violating the same law will be placed against Mrs. Edward Junior Morrison, Danville, as a result of a fire yesterday, Bodkin said.

He explained that he was called to the west side of Fort Hill about 4 p. m. yesterday after a brush fire started by Mrs. Morrison got beyond her control and burned to the edge of the west side of Fort Hill.

The fire was extinguished without causing damage of any amount, according to the supervisor, but he said a charge of brush burning before 4 p. m. will be placed against Mrs. Morrison.

Bodkin also reported yesterday that a five-acre fire, believed of incendiary origin, was subdued Tuesday on Dan's Mountain after burning over scrubland and also destroying a small amount of immature mixed hardwood timber.

Another small fire was reported Tuesday night one mile east of Dawson where a housewife had been engaged in burning trash. There was no damage.

For A Girl In Doubt She Did "Just Right"

A "very attractive girl," who changed her mind at the last minute and wouldn't apply for a marriage license, left the court house yesterday at 4 p. m. and indicated that she will continue to live a single life—for the present at least.

Court attaches said they paid no attention to a sailor and his prospective bride when they entered the office of the clerk of court and asked for a license, but declared it became "very interesting" when the girl suddenly changed her mind and walked out.

The sailor, court attaches said, followed his "love" into the corridor and there "coaxed and wooed" "begged and pleaded" for the girl to return and apply for the license. But to no avail.

Unable to identify the couple, court attaches said they entered about 3:30 p. m. but the girl walked out without saying a word before they could learn her or the sailor's names.

The fruitless efforts of the sailor to have his lady-love return to the office ended at 4 p. m. with her growing more determined to each plea not to return.

The clerk simply looked at the clock, saw it was closing time, walked over and locked the door. "If the girl was in doubt, she certainly did the right thing," he said as he closed the books for the day.

Junior Optimists Club Planned Here

The first step in the formation of a proposed Junior Optimists Club of Cumberland was taken last night when the Cumberland Optimists Club invited 17 local boys to participate in its meeting held at Central YMCA.

Hugh Funkhouser, president, outlined to the prospective junior Optimists the purposes of the junior organization. The motto of the club, he said, is "Friend of the Boy."

The Junior Optimists Club will be kept small so that members may give individual aid in the promotion of good citizenship and in the recreational and social activities of the boys who become affiliated with the club.

C Of C To Entertain 50 New Members

The membership Activities Committee of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday made tenative plans to welcome approximately 50 new members into the organization at a buffet dinner the latter part of this month, Harold W. Smith, secretary said yesterday.

The social will be sponsored jointly by the Membership Activities Committee, headed by C. Philip Jolly and the Membership Committee, headed by O. J. Hale.

Rubber Workers Request 13 Cent Wage Increase

Demand Is 1 1-2 Cents Above Kelly Offer

Prospects for the peaceful settlement of the wage issue at the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company plant here appeared good yesterday with the announcement that the company and Local 26, United Rubber, Cork, Linoleum and Plastic Workers of America, CIO, were "fairly close together."

A. E. Johnson, union president, said yesterday that the Kelly company has offered a 11½ cents hourly wage increase, retroactive to 30 days prior to the opening of wage negotiations. He added the offer includes a provision that the retroactive time shall not exceed 45 days.

Local 26 opened the wage talks March 28, Johnson said.

The union is proposing a 13 cent hourly wage increase retroactive to February 2, Johnson said.

The company wage proposal was made Tuesday and the union made the counter proposal yesterday morning and continued the wage talks yesterday afternoon.

Johnson said the next meeting on the wage issue will be held this afternoon at the Kelly plant.

A company spokesman confirmed the company offer of the 11½ cent boost retroactive to February 28 saying it was a direct duplicate of the "Big Four" settlement which paved the way for the reopening of wage talks at the local tire plant employing some 2,500 hourly rated employes.

He characterized the company proposal as the "final offer" adding the Kelly decided to offer the full amount at one time instead of making three or four preliminary offers prior to the final offer.

B. & O. Acquisition Of Canal Property Is Turned Down

A request of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad to acquire sections of the old C. and O. canal property within the city limits to fill in part of the canal bed has been turned down by the Department of the Interior, it was learned here yesterday.

Ralph L. Rizer, city engineer, received a copy of a letter sent recently to R. E. Kennedy, Baltimore B. and O. real estate agent, from C. Girard Davidson, assistant Secretary of the Interior, who stated that there is no legislative authority permitting the deparment to sell the land.

The railroad seeks to fill in the canal bed because an embankment on which railroad tracks rest is being undermined, and the company wants to strengthen the road bed for about 1,000 feet along the canal near Thomas Street to keep the tracks from caving in.

Davidson explained in the letter that the canal property was acquired by the government for future use as a parkway and for "rehabilitation as an historical site."

He said a fill in the channel would conflict in part with the flood control project of Army engineers "to which this department has agreed in principle," adding that the outfall sewer of the city and the present functioning of the canal towpath and channel for flood protection relief would be "seriously affected" if the railroad carried out its plans.

Rizer stated earlier that the canal is the only outlet for water accumulating in the center of the city in time of flood, and that if the bed were filled in it would be necessary to pump water out of the city at great expense.

Davidson advised the B. and O. to give further study to the problem in an effort to reach a solution agreeable to the city and to Army engineers for submission to the Department of the Interior.

Report On Health Of Students Given

Dr. Richard K. Anderson gave a general report on the health examinations conducted last fall at Columbia Street School, at a meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of the school Tuesday night.

According to Dr. Anderson, one child in every 10 in the school was underweight; one in four had bad tonsils, and one in seven had a heart murmur, but the murmur was serious in only one out of about 50.

Dr. Anderson stated that, although one out of every five children had a positive patch test, it was not to be construed that this meant that number of children had tuberculosis. The only conclusive evidence afforded by the test, according to the doctor, is that at some time the child has been exposed to the tuberculosis germ. It is quite possible, however, he added, that a few of the children do have active germs. This will be determined by the results of the X-ray examinations, which have not been received from Baltimore at this time.

The most predominant finding in the examination, the doctor said was bad teeth, as 94% of pupils in the school were in need of dental attention. In comparison with the health examinations at East Side School, he added, there was little difference in the general health of the children. However, the vitamin C rating of pupils was higher in East Side, and there were fewer traces of anemia.

The examinations were made in the two schools comparing the health of pupils having the privilege of a school lunch program, and of pupils where there is no such program. East Side School has school lunches, Columbia Street School does not.

Frank Kaplon, president of the organization, was in charge of the business session and brief talks were given by Miss Sarah Higgins, principal, and Mrs. Eric Roeder.

Following the business meeting, a program was presented by Fred Perry, manager of the Liberty theater, and his amateur players. Refreshments were served.

Work And Morale Of City Police Rapped By Heskett

Asks Commissioner For Improvement

The morale of city police officers and their performance of duty were criticized yesterday in a letter to Commissioner of Police William V. Keegan from City Solicitor Charles Z. Heskett, in which he asked for an improvement.

Heskett said that it frequently is the fault of investigating officers for the acquitals and suspended sentences that are meted out in magistrates courts and also declared that too many persons filing complaints with the department are told to "get a warrant."

"The very business of a police officer is to diligently investigate every complaint received which indicates that a city ordinance or state criminal law has been violated. If he finds reasonable cause upon which to base an honest belief that law has been violated it is the business of the officer to make an arrest X X X," Keegan was told.

Criticizes Morale

Heskett informed Commissioner Keegan that the morale of the department concerning suspended sentences and acquitals is something that should be corrected. "It ought to be remembered," Heskett wrote, "that acquitals are most frequently the result of indifferent investigations by the officers. Paroles and suspended sentences are frequently given out because the officer prosecuting the case has so poorly prepared the case by lack of investigation."

An officer has an active duty to intelligently and aggressively investigate with all throughness possible every complaint received indicating a violation, Heskett informed Keegan.

"Too often in the last several years," he stated, "I have been led to suspect that officers use the excuse "go get a warrant" in order to relieve themselves of the performance of their duties," Keegan was informed.

Heskett pointed out that an officer may be indicted for "non-feasance", for failure to perform his duty, and for failure to thoroughly investigate he may be indicted for "misfeasance."

Another point stressed by the city solicitor in his letter is the duty that officers have to perform all over the community. "In other words," he explained "it is just as much the duty of an officer assigned to the traffic department to make an arrest for some violation involving a breach in the peace or the criminal law, as it is the duty of an officer on that particularly beat. And this is likewise true of an officer assigned to a beat in South Cumberland who may by chance see some violation of the law up town."

Makes General Statement

Heskett at no time referred to any particular officer of violation that may have been committed, nor did he indicate when the incidents were brought to his attention.

Many officers are of the impression that if they do not see an offense committed they are relieved of any further responsibility, Heskett wrote.

It is not the business of the police officers to determine the punishment of persons who are convicted of violating the law, the letter stated the officers have no responsibility beyond an intelligent investigation and collection of facts concerning an offense and an intelligent presentation of it to the courts, Heskett asserted.

This, of course, does not mean that people can be arrested and put in jail on mere suspicion; it does mean, however that where there is reasonable suspicion that the officer should run the matter down in an effort to obtain sufficient evidence either by information received or by physical evidence measuring up to sound circumstantial evidence. Then it is his duty to arrest, Heskett wrote Keegan.

The letter addressed to Commissioner Keegan was written on City of Cumberland stationery and signed by Heskett.

Registration Of Fire Victims To Continue Today

Salvation Army Aiding Families

Eight of the 11 families made homeless in the five-alarm blaze which gutted the Reinhart Building at the corner of Virginia and Laing Avenues in South Cumberland Tuesday night, have registered with the Red Cross, and registration will continue this morning according to Mrs. Lee W. Witherup, executive secretary of the local chapter.

Praising the generosity of local merchants in giving discounts on clothing needed by the families, most of whom lost all their possessions in the fire, Mrs. Witherup said the Red Cross is issuing requisition slips for clothing, and meal tickets to the families.

New Homes Needed

Because of the response to the recent Red Cross fund campaign, which raised over $40,000 in the county, the organization is financially able to care for the families adequately and to tide them over until they can find living quarters, Mrs. Witherup said.

She asked all persons who know of available living quarters for the 37 persons made homeless by the fire to notify the Red Cross office in the Post Office Building immediately.

Maj. Elmer Wall, commanding officer of the Salvation Army, said that 12 persons were accomodated at the Salvation Army outpost on Virginia Avenue Tuesday night, and that almost twice that number were housed at the outpost last night because relatives and friends of some of the homeless persons were unable to house them indefinitely because of cramped living quarters.

The Red Cross supplied cots and blankets from emergency supplies, and arrangements were made for a physician to visit the outpost last night to made a checkup of young children if necessary.

Firemen Return To Scene

Mrs. Witherup praised the cooperation of the strike-bound Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company in putting through calls made by the Red Cross in connection with disaster work yesterday, adding that she called area headquarters of the Red Cross in Alexandria, Va., and was informed that additional assistance will be provided if needed.

Weary fire fighters from South End Fire Company stayed at the scene of the fire until after 1 o'clock yesterday morning to guard against a recurrence of the blaze.

The company returned to the site eight hours later and stayed for an hour wetting down the gutted structure.

Firemen said that when matresses and upholstered furniture ignite it is extremely difficult to put out the blaze. The filling materials, they added, will smoulder for hours and then burst into flames.

Carpenters Union May Picket Work On Local Garage

Carpenters Local 1024 yesterday applied for four picketing permits to be used in a dispute involving an alleged violation of the apprentice training standards by the David T. Ogilvie and Son, local contractors, in the construction of the Chester L. Collins garage on Henderson Avenue, F. Patrick Allender, union business agent, said.

Allander said the contractor laid off all journeymen carpenters and is operating with four apprentices only in violation of the apprentice standards formulated jointly by local contractors and Carpenters Local 1024. The agreement concurs with the local's ratio of two journeymen for each apprentice, he added.

Without journeymen carpenters, Allender explained, there would be nobody on the job to teach apprentices and the contractor could underbid other firms since his labor would be from 37 to 50 cents less per hour due to the government subsidy.

Allender said the picketing will begin as soon as the foundation to the structure is completed unless the issue is settled by that time.

A near wage dispute on the job was averted recently when, Allender said, the contractor agreed to work in accordance with the agreement.

Allender said the union has notified the Veterans Administration that the contractor is no longer qualified to give GI apprentice training under the terms of the joint apprentice committee.

Effect Of New Sales Tax To Be Felt Soon

Marylanders will begin to feel the effect of the new sales tax, use tax and increased gasoline tax less than three months from now. The new imposts, enacted by the legislature to meet increased costs of schools, roads, police and other programs of the Lane administration, will go into effect July 1.

Housewives shopping for groceries for family consumption will not be taxed for the purchases. But purchases in department stores and furniture stores will carry a sales tax, and a similar impost, the use tax, will be charged by branch offices of out-of-state companies.

If shoppers make trips out of the state to avoid the sales tax, they will discover that the only out-of-state purchase within the general taxable fields which may be made without paying the use tax is the purchase of a commodity "not readily available in Maryland."

And motor trips for out-of-state shopping would rapidly burn up gasoline on which the driver will pay the five-cent Maryland gasoline tax, one cent more than last year.

Young Republicans Purchase Building

FROSTBURG, April 9 — The Young Men's Republican Club of Frostburg has purchased the Moose home on East Main Street, it was announced here tonight.

The Moose recently purchased a building on East Main Street from A. Charles Stewart and in turn sold their present building to the Republican Club. According to Walter Rank, secretary, the Moose will occupy their new quarters on the upper floor of the Stewart building sometime between May 15 and June 1. The Young Men's Republican Club will occupy its new home as soon as it is vacated by the Moose.

The Young Men's Republican Club was organized in 1938 by G. Kear Hosken and its first quarters were in the Reese building, Bowry Street. Later the club moved to the Gladstone Annex, West Main Street. The club has been in its present quarters on the corner of Broadway and Mechanic Street since 1941.

There are 400 members in the organization. The officers include David Bender, president: Joseph James, vice president; George F. Engle, secretary, and James Harden, treasurer.

Green Spring Workers May Take Strike Vote

Workers of the Koppers Company's tie treating plant in Green Spring, W. Va., will meet there Sunday to take action on a company wage offer, C. E. Stutzman, business manager of Local 453, Teamsters Union, said yesterday.

Stutzman said a strike vote will be taken at the meeting if the workers reject the offer but added that a strike could not take place prior to April 21. Conciliator W. F. Gantz, who attended a meeting between the company and union yesterday, will participate in the Sunday session.

Kimble Answers News Editorial On Two Measures

Declaring that sound reasons prompted him to disapprove of both the slot machine and wholesale liquor bills at the recent session of the Legislature, State Senator Robert B. Kimble yesterday replied to an editorial appearing in yesterday morning's edition of The Cumberland News.

At the same time Senator Kimble commented that naturally the county commissioners could not anticipate new revenue on tax bills not as yet signed for the 1947 levy due Tuesday and stated "the only possible way the county commissioners could have reduced taxes for this year would have been to collect taxes from certain corporations, that they properly should collect, but unfortunately, which they, in their wisdom, deemed advisable not to collect."

Commenting on the slot machine bill, Kimble said "I admit that I killed the bill and the only explanation is that I do not believe in taxing these machines as provided in the bill."

Declaring that the passage of the bill could have meant the blossoming of thousands of machines in the county, completely uncontrolled, Kimble stated that the bill enabled the commissioners to levy the tax on the slots without specifying how much the tax should be; declared there were no restrictions imposed whatsoever and did not provide the commissioners with the authority to regulate the machines or prohibit their use at certain locations.

"The public, in my opinion, would not go along with such complete lack of regulation", Kimble declared.

Commenting on the wholesale liquor bill, Kimble said his objections to the measure were based on the following points :

1—The bill stipulated that it would not go into operation until January 1, 1948, and consequently not one penny of revenue would be derived from the measure in 1947, if it had passed.

2—The bill provided that on December 31, 1948, the manager of the liquor dispensary would set aside 40 per cent of the net profit as a working fund and the remainder, if any, would be paid to the county commissioners on January 1, 1949. This would probably mean that no income would be derived from the measure in 1948, Kimble said, adding "so here you would have two years in which no income would be realized from the county on this venture."

3—The manager of the Montgomery county dispensary told him (Kimble) that with Allegany county only taking over the wholesale end of the business and with the possibility the county would not be able to purchase liquor from distilleries, there was a strong indication that the net profit from the dispensary, after operating expenses, would not have been sufficient to have paid the interest and made any substantial payment toward the liquidation of the original $500,000 investment.

"In view of these facts," Kimble said in answering the editorial that he should offer an explanation, "The county would not have received any revenue from the dispensary in 1947 and 1948 and it would have been a gamble if they received any in 1949. Consequently, my killing of this bill in no way affected real estate taxes in either 1948 or 1949, for under the bill the county would not have received anything."

Commenting on the tax situation as it affects the new levy for Allegany county, Kimble said that he supposed that the commissioners understood that an estimated $200,000 in additional revenue cannot be available to the county until after the state has collected the money from race track, license, income and other sources.

In view of the fact that Legislature adjourned only a few days ago and many of the new bills are still unsigned, Kimble said the county would not be able to include new revenue in the 1947 tax estimate, but added that the county will receive substantial new income from new taxation before the year is over.

"They will receive additional money this year," Kimble said, "and right now they could anticipate returns from some taxes they are now authorized to levy as a result of recent legislative action." Senator Kimble cited the pinball machine tax as one example.

"I would also like to point out that the county commissioners could have received better than $100,000 this year in additional taxes if they had not seen fit to exempt certain corporations", Kimble said.

"I for one do not care to see the commissioners place the blame on the Legislature for their own mismanagement of county affairs."

Senator Kimble, again referring to the editorial in yesterday morning's News—which stated that a very substantial tax cut could have been made on real estate if certain bills had not been killed, said "It would appear that the News editorial is attempting to completely whitewash the commissioners' management of county affairs in an attempt to place blame for the failure of certain bills to pass. As already stated by myself, the slot machine bill in my estimation was not a proper bill for the reasons set forth and the county would have received no additional revenue from the wholesale liquor bill in 1947 and 48 and possibly in 1949."

Kimble also said he wished to point out that he did not introduce any legislation at the last session that would cause the county to spend extra money for salaries, other than increased salaries for the school teachers.

"The only salary legislation submitted by me pertaining to salaries, other than that for school teachers, provided for increased salaries for Cumberland city police and firemen—which pertains to the City of Cumberland."

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Duncan, 413 Grand Avenue, announce the birth of a son in Allegany Hospital Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Burkhart, 401 Pennsylvania Avenue, announce the birth of a son Wednesday morning in Allegany Hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hahne, 1103 Oldtown Road, Wednesday morning in Memorial Hospital.

Liquor License Blanks Will Be Issued This Week

Court Clerk Says Forms Are Ordered

Although the State Liquor measure passed by the General Assembly has not yet been signed by the governor, Robert Jackson, clerk of Allegany County Circuit court, said yesterday he expects to issue application blanks to Allegany County liquor dealers this week.

If the dealers, whose licenses expire April 30 expect to open for business May 1, their applications will have to be filed before April 15, to permit thel egal publications he declared.

Blanks Ordered

Jackson said the application blanks have been ordered from the state comptroller and should arrive either today or tomorrow, but emphasized the fact that there will be no need for dealers to "begin a run on the court house" until they are notified that the applications have arrived.

Jackson said the pending measure will increase all license fees to just about double, and said a new Class D" Tavern license, which will be issued to dealers who do not serve food, will cost $1,000. Under the old system the Class B on sale license cost $300 but will now cost $600.

The new license will be issued to taverns and cocktail lounges, principally Jackson said, adding that under the old setup, these places were issued a Class B on sale license.

The new measure, if signed, will also permit nine additional licenses to be issued in the county bringing the total to 67 besides Class C licenses which are issued to clubs.

One thing is definite, the clerk said, the county will be "dry on Sundays," for the new measure specifies that neither retail dealers nor clubs will sell alcoholic beverages on Sundays.

Clerk Issues Licenses

Once the new applications are filled out they will be returned to the clerk who will submit them to the Liquor Board for approval. The clerk will then issue licenses according to the findings of the board.

While the bond will remain at $1,000 it will not have to be submitted until the license is issued under the new system, Jackson said. Under the old law the bond had to be submitted at the time of application. The new application fee has also been doubled and will be $5 to cover costs of recording and publication, he asserted.

Wrecked Truck Blocks Traffic On Route 40

A tractor and trailer hauling 16 tons of fertilizer upset on a sharp curve on the west side of Sideling Hill at 9:30 a. m. yesterday and halted several hundred other motor vehicles on Route 40 for several hours, State Police reported last night.

State Trooper William F. Baker, who assisted in the investigation, said the driver of the truck, Francis L. Gist, Westminster, lost control of the vehicle while descending the western slope.

Baker said the vehicle owned by the Thomas Gist trucking firm at Westminster, ran up a 12 to 15 foot embankment and overturned on its left side. The tractor did not overturn.

The tractor tore loose from the trailer and as the former traveled across the highway the trailer slid past it and crashed against the guardrail. The tractor came to a stop against the rear of the trailer, blocking the road. The driver, riding alone, escaped injury, except for a few slight cuts on the head.

Blocked completely until shortly after noon, Route 40 finally was open to one-way traffic until 4:30 p. m. when it was closed off for another hour to allow riggers to right the wreckage.

Fertilizer, packed in bags, had to be removed from the trailer before it could be righted and was stacked at the roadside while arrangements were made to haul it to Cumberland, police said.

Both the tractor and trailer were 1947 models, according to police, who said the trailer, completely demolished, was worth $8,000. The tractor was damaged to the extent of $2,000.

Baker said the accident occurred at the scene of a wreck last November when another tractor-trailer truck crashed through the guardrail and dropped into a creek, killing its driver, Joseph Stanley Kurtz, Baltimore.

Baker and Troopers Harold Basore and Harry Bosley investigated the accident yesterday.

Celanese Drivers Will Plan Contract

Over-the-road truck drivers at the Amcelle plant of the Celanese Corporation of America, who last Saturday voted to be represented by Local 453, Teamsters Union, will meet Saturday at noon to draw up a contract proposal to be presented to the company, C. E. Stutzman, union business agent, said.

Stutzman said the 16 drivers will use a contract which was presented to the company last August as a possible basis for contract proposals. At that time, the company refused to consider the contract since it did not recognize the union as the legal bargaining agent for the men.

Labor Group Upbraids Lane On Sales Tax

The Legislative committee of the Western Maryland Labor Unity Conference has unanimously condemned the action of Governor Lane in forcing the sales tax upon the people of Maryland, William Boyd Coleman, chairman, said yesterday.

"We feel," Coleman said, "that the tax was forced through the legislature against the desires of the people of Maryland and the wishes of a considerable number of the legislators."

Railroads Carry Close To Normal Coal Loadings

No Sizeable Mines Working In County

Railroads operating through Cumberland reported last night that they are carrying from 75 to 90 per cent of their normal coal loadings despite reports from United Mine Workers officials that no mines of any size worked yesterday in Allegany or Garrett Counties.

The railroads said, however, that most of their coal is being loaded in West Virginia and that the best part of that loaded in Western Maryland is from strip mine operations.

Western Maryland Railway officials said their coal loadings yesterday were about 75 per cent of normal and that they expect close to 100 per cent today.

The Western Maryland said 104 cars were loaded at Chiefton, near Fairmont, W. Va., yesterday, 110 in Thomas, W. Va., district and 100 in Elk River district.

"We've been loading a lot of coal on the Cumberland Division," said a B. and O. official. He pointed out that all mines on the Cumberland Division are in West Virginia and said that loadings ran from 80 to 90 per cent of normal.

The Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad, which operates through the Georges Creek section, reported its coal loading operations about 88 per cent of normal yesterday, but said the better part of that amount was strip mined.

The Campbell Coal Company's Mill Run mine, near Barton, was open again yesterday and about a 30 per cent turnout was reported at the Hampshire mine of the same company. The Hampshire mine, which is also near Barton, had a 20 per cent turnout Tuesday, the company said. The Mill Run mine employes only 12.

In contrast to this picture all five mines of the Consolidated Fuel Company in the Frostburg area were closed yesterday. Mines 3 and 10 were ordered closed by the federal government for safety reasons. Mine No. 17 worked Monday, but not Tuesday. Mines 1 and 4 worked Monday and Tuesday but were closed yesterday.

The other county mine ordered closed, the Waynesburg operation of the George's Creek Coal Company at Lonaconing, remains closed. Robert L. Stallings, company president, said all proposed changes have been made and that a federal inspector is expected to make a check Friday.

Workmen were reported on duty in the various Consol mines making safety corrections.

Kempton Mine Closed

John P. Dolphin, international representative of the UMW, said the Kempton mine of the Davis Coal and Coke Company was not operating and that the Douglas mine, near Thomas, W. Va., was also down. He stated these are among the largest operations in the area.

The only mine of any size operating is at Ocean, according to Dolphin, Thirty-seven men are employed there. He also explained that some strip mines are not working.

The union leader admitted that strip mine production is generally above normal because a plentiful supply of railroad cars is available.

Wright Asks Permit To Enlarge Building

James W. Wright filed an appeal with the Board of Zoning Appeals yesterday for a permit to enlarge a building along the alley at the rear of 110 South Street for use as a residence.

The one-story building, formerly used as a storage shed, will be enlarged by building a three-room addition, which will be two stories high and will measure 11 by 18 feet, with a concrete foundation, frame walls and a composition roof. Prospective occupant is Wright's daughter, Mrs. Paul Davidson, 110 South Street.

G. V. Owens, 801 Lafayette Avenue, secured a permit to build a one-story 24 by 24-foot addition to the rear and side of a restaurant at 731 Virginia Avenue, at an estimated cost of $1,150. The addition will have foundation and walls of concrete block and asphalt roofing. Work will be done by M. A. Brewer.

A permit was granted to Robert R. Davis, Route 1, city, to build a one-story 28 by 44-foot building on Lot No. 655, Roberts Street, for washing cars and lubrication jobs in connection with the present service station. The building will have foundation and walls of concrete blocks and a built-up roof. Work, to be done by Paul E. Kniseley, is estimated to cost $1,600.

Two permits were secured by B. K. Lazarus of the Maryland Homes Company to enlarge rear additions at 134-136 and 130-132 Humbird Street for the installation of two bathrooms each. The enlarged 10 by 14-foot additions will have frame walls covered with inselbrick. Work will be done by the owner, and each will cost $750.

Demonstration Of Meat Cutting Is Presented

An audience of 285 persons witnessed a demonstration of meat cutting presented last night at St. Mary's recreation hall by Don R. Miller, a representative of the National Livestock and Meat Board, Chicago. The demonstration was sponsored by the Independent Retail Food Dealers Association of Western Maryland.

Miller demonstrated methods of cutting ham, pork loin, lamb and beef, and explained ways in which the meat could be cooked to best advantage. He was introduced by Albert E. Windish, president.

Cumberland is the only city of less than 100,000 population in the nation in which meat cutting demonstrations were scheduled by the Chicago board. Miller will give a similar demonstration in Washington tonight.

Reports Stolen Car

City police last night were investigating the report of a stolen 1935 Ford sedan which David H. Smith, Ridgeley, W. Va., the owner, said was taken between 6 and 7:30 p. m. from Water Street, this city.

Local 1874, TWUA, Asks Truman To Veto Portal Bill

Telegrams have been sent to President Truman asking that he veto the portal-to-portal act which has been passed by both houses of Congress, William Boyd Coleman, president of Local 1874, Textile Workers of America, CIO, said last night.

The bill, he said, would invalidate existing portal-to-portal pay claims, outlaw future claims based on activities which take place before the regular workday and would limit to two years the time within which actions would be filed, relieving employers of all liability if they "acted in good faith".

Wires have also been sent to Senators Tydings and O'Conor and to Rep. Beall asking them to sustain a presidential veto. John Edelman, TWUA legislative representative, Coleman said, advises that the votes of the two senators might be sufficient to sustain the veto in the Senate.

The TWUA local has also asked the legislators to favor the continuance of rent controls which are slated to expire soon. The local mentioned the critical housing shortage in Western Maryland as a strong argument in favor of continued rent control, Coleman said.

Charges Dropped Against 6 Persons In License Cases

Heskett Declares No Violations

Charges against six of the 10 persons arrested Tuesday night and yesterday for operating vending and pinball machines without city licenses were appearently squashed last night, and police said the bonds will likely to refunded today.

Police were at a loss to explain the disposition of the cases but said Charles Z. Heskett, city attorney, had declared that "no violation" was committed in any of the six cases and added that Heskett made entries on the docket to that effect.

Noted by each of the six names of persons who were booked following police investigation of local clubs and business places was an entry "no puplic operation involved" and signed by Heskett.

Police said they believed that Heskett who appared at headquarters "sometime last night," had ruled that clubs are not required to have city licenses on amusement devices since they are not open to the public, but none would say definitely that was the reason.

Charges apparently were dropped against John McCarthy, 142 North Centre Street, steward of the Legion of Guardsmen Club; Harold E. Hixon and John M. Fisher, of the Regal Club, 162 Baltimore Street; R. L. Emory, Jr., 10 North Lee Street; Paul Galen, 20 South Mechanic Street; A. B. Wilkinson, 23 Valley Street and Howard Carlon, 249 North Centre Street.

Two men arrested Tuesday night on the license charge forfeited bond yesterday when they failed to appear for hearings and police said as far as they knew the forfeiture would remain. The men were John Rapillo, allegedly manager of the Christopher Columbus Social Club, and John Trimble, Fulton Myers Post, No. 153.

Dino Baggatti, William Paca Club representative, was fined $5 on charges of operating a music box without a license, and police said they did not know if the Heskett decision would cause a rehearing or not.

The only person against whom charges were still preferred on the police docket last night was W. L. Sheehe, 51 North Mechanic Street, who operates a restaurant adjacent the Blue Ridge Bus terminal.

Heskett could not be reached for comment last night.

HIGHER COMPETITIVE MARKET IS PREDICTED FOR TRANSPORTATION

The transportation industry will soon be in a more highly competitive market than it is at the present time, Harry J. Carroll, general traffic manager of Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, Akron, Ohio, told members of the Tri-State Traffic Club at a dinner meeting last night.

Already, Carroll said, the situation has developed in other lines of business and should soon be felt in the transportation field. Speaking from his personal experiences in a wide field, Carroll added that transportation had done things beyond even imagination at the outbreak of World War II.

The effects of World War I had never let the industry catch up before depressions and the subsequent outbreak of the second war found the railroads in a condition that was far from sufficient in men, materials and equipment. It is vital to our future that industry and the government provide adequate safeguards for the future so that the transportation plant may be fully capable of handling whatever traffic it may be called upon to move, Carroll asserted.

Leo H. Ley, presented the docket, highlighting the April Perfect Shipping Month claim prevention work. He stated that railroads now pay five times the sum paid out in 1939 for claims and added that a drastic campaign is being set up to reduce this amount by better packing, marking, handling and transfer of all kinds of freight.

The meeting was one of the largest ever held by the Traffic Club here. Clarence E. Gehr, president, and John L. Carnochan, secretary, were in charge of arrangements.

On Yale Record

Robert C. Hardwick, chairman of the board of the Yale Record, has announced that J. Glenn Beall, Jr., class of 1950 at Yale University, has entered the business competition of the Yale Record. The Record, founded in 1872 in New Haven, is the nation's oldest college humor magazine.

Young Beall is the son of Rep. and Mrs. J. Glenn Beall, Beall's Lane, Frostburg.

Phone Workers Call Special Meeting

A special meeting of local area members of the Maryland Federation of Telephone Workers has been scheduled for 10 o'clock this morning at strike headquarters in Fort Cumberland Hotel, according to George E. Williams, telephone strike captain for Allegany, Garrett and Washington counties.

Williams said only that matters of interest to the union will be discussed. He did not elaborate further.

Meanwhile there were no developments locally as the telephone strike approached the end of its third day. However, Western Union business has advanced considerably beyond normal proportions as a result of the strike and some extra employes have been hired, according to E. F. Phillips, local Western Union manager.

Man Is Fined $10 On State Brush Burning Charge

City Offers Reward In Sunday Blazes

Charged with violating a state law pertaining to brush fires within 200 feet of woodland, Joseph B. Hardman, who lives on the west side of Iron's Mountain four miles east of Cumberland, was fined $10 in Trial Magistrates Court yesterday by Magistrate Frank A. Perdew.

Meanwhile, Mayor Thomas S. Post said yesterday that the Mayor and Council is offering a $100 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any persons found responsible for setting grass or brush fires within the city limits on Easter Sunday.

Brook Bodkin, senior forest supervisor, said Hardman started a brush fire before 4 p. m. in violation of state law which allows such burning only between the hours of 4 p. m. and midnight.

The violation took place on Monday, according to Bodkin, who added that brush burning, even between the hours of 4 p. m. and midnight must be done at a distance of at least 200 feet from woodland.

A charge of violating the same law will be placed against Mrs. Edward Junior Morrison, Danville, as a result of a fire yesterday, Bodkin said.

He explained that he was called to the west side of Fort Hill about 4 p. m. yesterday after a brush fire started by Mrs. Morrison got beyond her control and burned to the edge of the west side of Fort Hill.

The fire was extinguished without causing damage of any amount, according to the supervisor, but he said a charge of brush burning before 4 p. m. will be placed against Mrs. Morrison.

Bodkin also reported yesterday that a five-acre fire, believed of incendiary origin, was subdued Tuesday on Dan's Mountain after burning over scrubland and also destroying a small amount of immature mixed hardwood timber.

Another small fire was reported Tuesday night one mile east of Dawson where a housewife had been engaged in burning trash. There was no damage.

For A Girl In Doubt She Did "Just Right"

A "very attractive girl," who changed her mind at the last minute and wouldn't apply for a marriage license, left the court house yesterday at 4 p. m. and indicated that she will continue to live a single life—for the present at least.

Court attaches said they paid no attention to a sailor and his prospective bride when they entered the office of the clerk of court and asked for a license, but declared it became "very interesting" when the girl suddenly changed her mind and walked out.

The sailor, court attaches said, followed his "love" into the corridor and there "coaxed and wooed" "begged and pleaded" for the girl to return and apply for the license. But to no avail.

Unable to identify the couple, court attaches said they entered about 3:30 p. m. but the girl walked out without saying a word before they could learn her or the sailor's names.

The fruitless efforts of the sailor to have his lady-love return to the office ended at 4 p. m. with her growing more determined to each plea not to return.

The clerk simply looked at the clock, saw it was closing time, walked over and locked the door. "If the girl was in doubt, she certainly did the right thing," he said as he closed the books for the day.

Junior Optimists Club Planned Here

The first step in the formation of a proposed Junior Optimists Club of Cumberland was taken last night when the Cumberland Optimists Club invited 17 local boys to participate in its meeting held at Central YMCA.

Hugh Funkhouser, president, outlined to the prospective junior Optimists the purposes of the junior organization. The motto of the club, he said, is "Friend of the Boy."

The Junior Optimists Club will be kept small so that members may give individual aid in the promotion of good citizenship and in the recreational and social activities of the boys who become affiliated with the club.

C Of C To Entertain 50 New Members

The membership Activities Committee of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday made tenative plans to welcome approximately 50 new members into the organization at a buffet dinner the latter part of this month, Harold W. Smith, secretary said yesterday.

The social will be sponsored jointly by the Membership Activities Committee, headed by C. Philip Jolly and the Membership Committee, headed by O. J. Hale.

Rubber Workers Request 13 Cent Wage Increase

Demand Is 1 1-2 Cents Above Kelly Offer

Prospects for the peaceful settlement of the wage issue at the Kelly-Springfield Tire Company plant here appeared good yesterday with the announcement that the company and Local 26, United Rubber, Cork, Linoleum and Plastic Workers of America, CIO, were "fairly close together."

A. E. Johnson, union president, said yesterday that the Kelly company has offered a 11½ cents hourly wage increase, retroactive to 30 days prior to the opening of wage negotiations. He added the offer includes a provision that the retroactive time shall not exceed 45 days.

Local 26 opened the wage talks March 28, Johnson said.

The union is proposing a 13 cent hourly wage increase retroactive to February 2, Johnson said.

The company wage proposal was made Tuesday and the union made the counter proposal yesterday morning and continued the wage talks yesterday afternoon.

Johnson said the next meeting on the wage issue will be held this afternoon at the Kelly plant.

A company spokesman confirmed the company offer of the 11½ cent boost retroactive to February 28 saying it was a direct duplicate of the "Big Four" settlement which paved the way for the reopening of wage talks at the local tire plant employing some 2,500 hourly rated employes.

He characterized the company proposal as the "final offer" adding the Kelly decided to offer the full amount at one time instead of making three or four preliminary offers prior to the final offer.

B. & O. Acquisition Of Canal Property Is Turned Down

A request of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad to acquire sections of the old C. and O. canal property within the city limits to fill in part of the canal bed has been turned down by the Department of the Interior, it was learned here yesterday.

Ralph L. Rizer, city engineer, received a copy of a letter sent recently to R. E. Kennedy, Baltimore B. and O. real estate agent, from C. Girard Davidson, assistant Secretary of the Interior, who stated that there is no legislative authority permitting the deparment to sell the land.

The railroad seeks to fill in the canal bed because an embankment on which railroad tracks rest is being undermined, and the company wants to strengthen the road bed for about 1,000 feet along the canal near Thomas Street to keep the tracks from caving in.

Davidson explained in the letter that the canal property was acquired by the government for future use as a parkway and for "rehabilitation as an historical site."

He said a fill in the channel would conflict in part with the flood control project of Army engineers "to which this department has agreed in principle," adding that the outfall sewer of the city and the present functioning of the canal towpath and channel for flood protection relief would be "seriously affected" if the railroad carried out its plans.

Rizer stated earlier that the canal is the only outlet for water accumulating in the center of the city in time of flood, and that if the bed were filled in it would be necessary to pump water out of the city at great expense.

Davidson advised the B. and O. to give further study to the problem in an effort to reach a solution agreeable to the city and to Army engineers for submission to the Department of the Interior.

Report On Health Of Students Given

Dr. Richard K. Anderson gave a general report on the health examinations conducted last fall at Columbia Street School, at a meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of the school Tuesday night.

According to Dr. Anderson, one child in every 10 in the school was underweight; one in four had bad tonsils, and one in seven had a heart murmur, but the murmur was serious in only one out of about 50.

Dr. Anderson stated that, although one out of every five children had a positive patch test, it was not to be construed that this meant that number of children had tuberculosis. The only conclusive evidence afforded by the test, according to the doctor, is that at some time the child has been exposed to the tuberculosis germ. It is quite possible, however, he added, that a few of the children do have active germs. This will be determined by the results of the X-ray examinations, which have not been received from Baltimore at this time.

The most predominant finding in the examination, the doctor said was bad teeth, as 94% of pupils in the school were in need of dental attention. In comparison with the health examinations at East Side School, he added, there was little difference in the general health of the children. However, the vitamin C rating of pupils was higher in East Side, and there were fewer traces of anemia.

The examinations were made in the two schools comparing the health of pupils having the privilege of a school lunch program, and of pupils where there is no such program. East Side School has school lunches, Columbia Street School does not.

Frank Kaplon, president of the organization, was in charge of the business session and brief talks were given by Miss Sarah Higgins, principal, and Mrs. Eric Roeder.

Following the business meeting, a program was presented by Fred Perry, manager of the Liberty theater, and his amateur players. Refreshments were served.